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ASTOUNDING CASE

Larceny Charge Brings Out Most Sensational Evidence

Of Alleged Polygamy and Homicide by the Defendant and Bigamy by the Woman Who Complained of Her Husband

One of the most sensational cases ever heard in police court proved to be that of George Cacalaires, charged with the larceny of $255 from Christiza D. Strategopoulos, which was aired before Judge Hadley at this morning's session. During the course of the testimony it was brought out that the defendant had three wives, the complainant being his second wife, and also that the complainant had two husbands. She was not aware of the location of her first husband or the children she had by him.

Daniel J. Donahue appeared for the government while the defendant was represented by J. Joseph Hennessy.

Christiza D. Strategopoulos, the complainant, was the first witness and her testimony was in part as follows. "I gave him (Cacalatres) $255 after he told me that he would marry me. He later married me and lived with me two and a half years. He then left me and married a woman in Ipswich. He never paid back the money to me. Shortly after he married me he told me he had a wife in Greece. He said, however, that he was not legally married to her as he had taken her away from her husband and she did not have any divorce. He said he had several children by that woman.

On cross-examination the complainant said: "My uncle forced me to marry a Turk when I was in Greece. We had several children, but I do not know where he or the children are at the present time."

Witness further said that the first time she saw the defendant was when he ran through her house in Alameda, Greece, after he had killed a man.

Much more testimony of a complicated character was produced, it being shown that the grand jury had failed to indict the defendant for polygamy and also that the woman had turned over all her money to the defendant while she was married to him.

No defence was offered.

After carefully considering the case Judge Hadley found the defendant not guilty and ordered him discharged on the larceny charge but the developments of the case astonished the court and everybody present.

BOARD OF HEALTH

Says Am. Hide & Leather Co. Will Have to Leave Howe St.

The American Hide and Leather company must abandon its premises in Howe street. The nuisance there must be abated for the board of health has so declared.

At a special meeting of the board held shortly after the noon hour today, the following motion offered by Dr. Martin and seconded by Mr. Murphy was unanimously adopted:

"The board of health finds from all evidence submitted, and from personal investigation of the premises on Howe street and the adjacent territory that the beaming house and the business as therein conducted is offensive and a nuisance to the neighborhood in which it is now placed.

"But in view of the assurances given to this board by the American Hide and Leather company that it is their intention to remove said beaming plant to another location at once, and to erect a building or buildings on new and improved methods satisfactory to this board, we therefore withold immediate condemnation proceedings against said premises.

"But unless said American Hide and Leather company shall remove said beaming plant to another locality to be approved by this board within such time as this board shall deem sufficient for the purpose, then this board will condemn the same and order an immediate abatement thereof."

PETITION PRESENTED

The following petition which is self explanatory was presented by Dr. Martin to the board of health of the city of Lowell:

It having been reported that the American Hide & Leather Co., is proposing to remove that part of its business known as the beaming process from Howe street to its works in Perry street, subject to the approval of your board, the undersigned residents and taxpayers of the city of Lowell respectfully pray that your board will not grant permission to said company to carry on such business at its Perry street works or at any point in that neighborhood, as they believe that the same, however, conducted would be offensive and detrimental to the comfort and health of the inhabitants of that section of the city:

C. S. Lilley, The Rogers Hall school by C. W. Whidden, George A. Leahey, M. D., James J. Kerwin, Albert J. Pinder, Frederick P. Marble, Thomas F. Costello, Edward J. Gallagher, Charles Dana Palmer, George W. Dutton, Albion C. Taylor, Harry Dunlap, George A. Chase, Boyden H. Pillsbury, M. D., Daniel J. Donahue, Joseph J. Hennessy.

IN POLICE COURT

Bicycle and Other Thieves Fared Badly Today

Antoine Barry pleaded guilty to the larceny of a bicycle, the property of Mederic Lamere. He was ordered to pay the owner $10 and also pay the court $10, the latter amount to be paid within two months. In the meantime Barry is to be placed in the custody of the probation officer.

Assaulted His Wife

William Carroll, who was yesterday found guilty of assaulting his wife, was sentenced to three months in jail this morning, but shortly after sentence had been passed the case was dismissed and Carroll was turned over to Probation Officer Ramsey, it having been learned that he had been placed in that officer's care at the last session of the superior court.

Another Wife Beater

Harold Newcombe, who was in court last Friday and found guilty of assaulting his wife came up for sentence in court today. Judge Hadley upon continuing the case last week felt that in the meantime Mr. and Mrs. Newcombe would reach some mutual understanding, but they failed to do so and the court ordered Newcombe to pay $3 a week to his wife. Joseph Loughran appeared for the complainant and D. J. Donahue for the defense.

Placed on File

Agnello N. Alvernaz was arrested yesterday on a warrant charging him with the larceny of $40 from one Antonio Nunes de Ponte. It was alleged that the defendant acted as a broker who made a business of sending money to the Azores for his fellow countrymen, but failed to send the money paid him by the complainant. This morning in court a settlement was made and the case was placed on file.

Ransacked a Room

Joseph Beauchene, who also travels under the name of Joseph Cote, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Inspector Walsh and in court this morning Beauchene was charged with drunkenness to which he pleaded guilty. In a second count he was charged with the larceny of a suit of clothes belonging to George Reynolds, while a third count charged him with the larceny of a suit of clothes and a hat, the property of William Wilbur. He entered pleas of not guilty to the larceny counts.

According to the testimony offered in the case the defendant had been living at 83 John street and sometime yesterday he entered the rooms occupied by Reynolds and Wilbur and stole the clothes and afterwards sold them to second hand clothing dealers in Middlesex street.

He was found guilty and a fine of $30 imposed, the money to be paid in three days or else go to jail for four months.

Out Again—In Again

Michael Brown, who was released from the state farm Saturday, got into all kinds of trouble last night and this morning when he appeared in police court he was a sight. One of his cheeks was cut open, his nose was bruised out of shape and one of his eyes looked as though it would leave the socket at any moment. It seems that he felt so elated at being released on parole that he immediately started out to fill up. While trying to navigate over Merrimack street near the corner of Central, where the Boston & Northern has been relaying its rails, he stumbled over a rail and battered his face against one of the irons. Patrolman Petrie arrived on the scene shortly after Brown met with the mishap and sent him to the police station. He was sent back to the state farm this afternoon.

Two Months in Jail

Ella Green, a young woman who lives in Graniteville, but whose love for intoxicating liquors has caused her to lead a rather vicious life, was before the court this morning and was sentenced to two months in jail.

Thomas E. Tyrell will be returned to the state farm. Patrick J. Cleary was fined $6, one drunk was fined $5, and two were taxed $2 each.

Liquor Forfeited

The liquor seized at the Kable farm in Tyngsboro during the automobile carnival was this morning declared forfeited to the state.

TO HOLD RECOUNT

Registrars Will Convass Vote Again

There have already been filed at the office of the city clerk two petitions for a recount of votes cast in the 15th and 16th representative districts, and the recounts will probably be held Saturday morning at 9 o'clock in the public hearing room on the second floor of city hall. The recount will be under the supervision of the board of registrars.

DEATHS

DONAGHUE—Charles A. Donaghue, aged 72 years, an old and well known resident of St. Patrick's parish, died early this morning at his home, 2 Marion street. He leaves to mourn his loss, besides his wife, Theresa B., six daughters, Mrs. Mary E. Peters of Concord, N. H., Mrs. John C. O'Neil, Mrs. James Cornock, Mrs. John J. Leonard and the Misses Hannah and Lottie Donaghue, all of Lowell; two sons, Charles and Edward of Philadelphia. He was a prominent member of Post 42, G. A. R.

McDANIELS—Miss Elizabeth McDaniels, for many years a teacher in the Lowell High school, died at her home Wednesday evening, 408 East Merrimack street, after an illness of only a week. Miss McDaniels was seized with a paralytic shock a week ago, and failed to rally from its effects.

She was a daughter of Mr and Mrs. John McDaniels and was a native of Lowell. For many years she was a teacher in the Lowell high school, where many Lowell young people came under her instruction, all of whom cherish the most pleasant recollections of her quiet gentleness and painstaking care, and all of whom will learn of her death with profound regret.

Miss McDaniels exerted a quiet, but none the less potent, influence on the intellectual life of the community. Possessed of a wide general knowledge and of a genial sense of humor as well, she made herself a most delightful companion to a circle of intimate friends who found in her a constant inspiration. She was a member of the Fortnightly club, and had been at various times its president. Since leaving the high school staff, which she did several years ago, she had made her activities largely intellectual and charitable, doing much quiet good of which the world heard and knew little. She made her home with her sister, Miss Charlotte McDaniels, who survives her, as do also two brothers, Prof. Joseph H. McDaniels of Hobart college, Geneva, N. Y., and Mr. Walter H. McDaniels of this city. Her funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2.30 from her late home.

SEVERANCE—Waldo Severance died yesterday afternoon at the city hospital after a short illness, aged 76 years. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker Albert H. Bixby on Jackson street.

RAPAZA—Mrs. Marie Rapaza, aged 28 years, died yesterday afternoon at her late home, 6 Linden street. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, Scrapa, and five children.

FUNERALS

WATSON—The funeral of Miss Abbie G. Watson took place from the Lowell cemetery chapel yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. George F. Kenngott, pastor of the First Trinitarian Congregational church. The bearers were C. Oliver Barnes, Harvey B. Greene, Fred Horne and Henry G. White. Burial was in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Mr. Frederick A. Puffer. Burial under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

KNUTSON—The funeral of Mildred Charlotte, twin daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Knutson, was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 218 Thorndike street, and was very largely attended by her many friends and relatives. Rev. J. E. A. Everett of the Swedish Lutheran church of Manchester, N. H., officiated. There was singing by Frank Linquist and Mrs. Carrie Stromquist, who sang "I'm a Pilgrim," "There Will be Something for the Children in Heaven," and "Shall We Meet Beyond the River."

There was a large profusion of floral offerings, including a large pillow inscribed "Mildred," from the parents; large basket, grandparents and uncle; sprays, Miss Wogander and Miss Swanson, John Knutson, Miss Annie Knutson and Mr. Lundberg, Miss Ingrid and Hannah Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ahlberg and daughter, Baby Foster, William and Eric Nelson, Miss Emma and Joe Hagstrom, Mr. and Mrs. Dunn, Miss Katherine, Charles and Francis Cannon, Miss Florence Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Ohlson, Mr. and Mrs. H. Sunnerfelt.

The bearers were John Knutson, Philip Ladau, Victor Lundberg and Otto Crabau. Burial took place in the family lot in the Edson cemetery, where the committal service was read by the Rev. Mr. Everett. Mr. Wm. H. Saunders, undertaker of the Horace Ela Co., had charge of the funeral arrangements.

McCLELLAN—The funeral of Gertrude McClellan took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents, Andrew and Sarah, 79 Cushing street. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Chas. H. Molloy & Sons.

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LAWSON IS ALIVE

He and Friend Thought Drowned

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—E. P. Lawson and his friend who were supposed to have been drowned in the Hudson last night when the launch Madegare struck a tow line of the tug Edward H. Meade were found safe on shore this afternoon. The third man of the party has not yet been found. Lawson and his friend got to shore after more than an hour in the water. The police in small boats aided by sailors from the French flagship Lajustice searched the waters all night believing the occupants of the launch were drowned.

Fred C. Church carried the insurance on the Farrington property, Tyler street, damaged by fire last night.

GEN'L HUBBARD

Made Examination of Peary Data

BAR HARBOR, Me., Sept. 24.—Examination was made today by Gen. Thomas Hubbard, president of the Peary Arctic club, of the data and observations of Commander R. E. Peary's dash to the pole and of the information which Commander Peary has obtained on the question, "Has Cook been at the pole?" The examination of these is preliminary to a conference here either on Monday or Tuesday, when Commander Peary will probably submit further records and supply any needful information not contained in the rough draft of his preliminary reports.

Pending a consideration today of the Peary records Gen. Hubbard had no statement to make. Gen Hubbard feels, it is understood, that Commander Peary should proceed with the development of his own scientific data and its submission to the necessary scientific bodies to prove his finding of the pole without regard to any question as to whether Dr. Cook has been to the pole or not. This course will in all likelihood be followed by Commander Peary. An early meeting of the Peary Arctic club in New York will soon be called by Gen. Hubbard, who said today that he understood that Zenas Crane, vice president of the club, Secretary H. L. Bridgman and Anton Raven were now in New York. Gen. Hubbard said the officers of the club would consider every phase of the controversy.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

The following marriage licenses were issued this morning:

Wilfred Arcand, Carmel, Me., 24, engineer, to Albertine Gagne, 169 Perkins street, 19, mill operative.

Geore Psilikianis, 91 Arch street, 23, mill operative, to Fateenna Boisvert, 91 Arch street, 20, mill operative.

Charles Arthur Denault, 150 Tenth street, 22, milkman, to Delina Aydelle, 4 rear 457 Moody street, 37, weaver.

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ANNIE BESANT

Says She Has Been Hypatia and Bruno

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Sept. 24.—Intimate friends of Mrs. Annie Besant, president of the Theosophical society of the world, declared here today that their leader had confided to them that she was a reincarnation of the Hypatia and Giodano Bruno.

"It is certain that Mrs. Besant has been Hypatia and Bruno," said Mrs. E. O. Peets, president of the Cleveland Theosophical society. "She remembers all—every day of her existence as those characters."

Mrs. Besant told her adherents that one of the strongest proofs of her claims that she is a reincarnation of the two characters is that she has been persecuted throughout her life. She avers her former selves have just been revealed to her after 20 years hard study in England and India in an effort to clear her past.

During the time of Confucius, Mrs. Besant says she lived as different characters, but she cannot recall their names. She predicts that she will live again.

MRS. VANDERBILT

DECLINES TO DISCUSS REPORT OF MARITAL TROUBLES

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., with her son and daughter, William K. Vanderbilt, 3rd, and Miss Muriel Vanderbilt, returned to New York from abroad today on the Cunard liner Lusitania. When asked to make a statement concerning the recent report of her marital troubles she replied:

"I cannot say anything at this time. I have been so much in the public eye that I do not wish to make any statement."

COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Cotton futures opened steady. Oct. 13.43; Nov. —; Dec. 13.58; Jan. 13.33; Feb. —; Mar. 13.55; April —; May 13.43; June —; July 13.47.

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POLICY OF PARTY

To be Decided Upon by Prohibitionists Today

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—The policy of the prohibition party in the national campaign of 1912 and possibly the presidential campaign will be tentatively determined today by the scores of party leaders who are in Chicago to celebrate the 40th anniversary of the founding of the party at the Hotel LaSalle. Notable members of the party, including former candidates for the presidency and vice presidency, are in attendance, and it is asserted that the gathering will be tantamount to a national convention in point of attendance of men who direct the affairs of the party.

It is said that a movement is on foot to have adopted a rough draft of a 1912 platform, which would deal with current conditions politically, tariff and other things as well as the basic principle of abolishing the legalized liquor traffic.

Among those here are J. E. Russell, aged 87, temporary chairman of the first convention, who arrived from Boston yesterday, and John H. St. John of Kansas, 76 years of age, who was presidential candidate in 1884.

B. R. POLLOCK

MADE GENERAL SUPT. OF NEW HAVEN ROAD

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 24.—Official announcement is made today of the appointment of B. R. Pollock as general superintendent of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad to succeed W. E. Bard. Mr. Pollock is superintendent of the Midland division of the New Haven system.

BASEBALL GAME

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24.—American: Philadelphia-Cleveland game postponed on account of rain. Two games tomorrow.

FUNERAL NOTICES

McDANIELS—Died in this city, Sept. 22, at her home, 408 East Merrimack Street, Miss Elizabeth McDaniels. Funeral at her late residence, 408 East Merrimack street, Saturday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

DONAGHUE—The funeral of Charles A. Donaghue will take place Sunday afternoon at 2.30 from his late home, 2 Marion street. Burial will be in the Catholic cemetery. Charles H. Molloy and Sons in charge.

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PEARY RESTING

Tired After His Journey of 770 Miles

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 24.—The morning hours today were devoted to rest by Commander Peary and his family in their rooms at the Falmouth hotel all being much fatigued by their 770 mile journey from Sydney, C. B., last night's remarkable demonstration on their home-coming and the late hour at which the banquet was concluded. Breakfast was served to them in their suite and none of the members of the family were seen about the hotel until shortly before noon. The small launch kept at their summer home at Eagle island was brought to the city during the forenoon in readiness to take Commander Peary, Mrs. Peary and the two children to Eagle island about noon. The distance is 15 miles and the trip requires nearly two hours.

It is understood Mr. Peary will go to Bar Harbor Sunday or Monday for a conference with Gen. Thomas H. Hubbard, president of the Peary Arctic club to whom he consigned important papers yesterday bearing on the Cook controversy.

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—After a generally firm opening the Boston market lapsed into dullness and weakness today. While the gains and losses were fractional the latter were most in evidence.

SHARKEY COMING

Thomas Sharkey, the boxer, writes that he will be in Lowell this evening to referee the events at the Spalding park athletic meet tomorrow afternoon. He will probably take the 7.30 o'clock train from Boston.

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GREAT ENTHSUSIASM

Com. Peary Tendered Monster Welcome by Maine People

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 24.—Fifty thousand wildly enthusiastic men, women and children, their path ablaze with red fire last night, cheered Commander Robert E. Peary, the Arctic explorer, from the Maine Central railroad station a mile across the city, to the spacious auditorium, where a public reception, one of the greatest in the history of the state of Maine, was held. Maine would tumultuous enthusiasm, claimed the sturdy explorer as her own.

After receiving a continuous ovation from the Canadian border line on his railroad journey across the state, the only Maine man to go "north of 80" stepped from the platform of the Pullman car attached to the Bar Harbor express into a clamoring mob of [illegible] citizens. They had been awaiting his home-coming for nearly an hour. Almost immediately he was surrounded by a cordon of police, who [illegible] their night-sticks to keep the [illegible] crowds away. Meanwhile [illegible] stationed in front of the [illegible] up a lively air and [illegible] the commander made his way toward the [illegible] of the great [illegible]. Here he was met by Mayor [illegible] Leighton of this city and [illegible] Hamilton of South Portland.

[illegible] whose name is the [illegible] of conversation in every household [illegible] toward an open carriage [illegible] a short distance away. The crowd broke into a prolonged yell. Peary stood up for a moment, bared his head, and bowed [illegible]. At that moment a sky rocket [illegible] up in the air and bursting directly over his head with a loud [illegible] forth a shower of red, white [illegible] stars. The commander [illegible] his eyes heavenward, gazed across [illegible] upturned faces. The crowd [illegible] yelling. Everyone [illegible] a [illegible] make a speech.

"I [illegible] cook, but oh you Peary," shouted a youngster from the crowd and the cheering began with renewed vigor.

Procession Starts

As the bands started playing a march air the procession moved off from the station. In the first carriage came Commander Peary, Governor Bert Fernald, Mayor Leighton and Mayor Hamilton. A second carriage contained President William De Witt Hyde of Bowdoin college and two members of the governor's staff. In other carriages were seated the members of the reception committee and the city governments of the sister cities.

Following marched four companies of the [illegible] and a band of the naval [illegible]. At intervals all through the line there were citizens carrying torchlights.

As the party moved up Congress street hill Commander Peary arose from his seat and bowed to the cheering crowds. The windows in most of the houses were packed, and American flags floated gently in the evening breeze.

At the [illegible] house a great [illegible] and at every [illegible] of automobiles, which [illegible] tooted their horns as the [illegible] visitor and his party passed by. The Henry W. Longfellow mansion flickered with hundreds of lights. When [illegible] street was reached, the military companies went ahead of the carriages. Then amid another prolonged burst of cheering Peary was escorted down through the lines of soldiers to the auditorium.

For a few minutes the crowds that were swarming about the outside of the [illegible] building under the glare of the great electric arc lights were held in check.

"Well, what do you think of the [illegible], commander?" he was asked [illegible] inside the hall.

"I am [illegible] honored," he answered quietly.

State and City Officials

At the centre of the auditorium a raised platform had been erected. At the farther end was Mayor Leighton, and beside him stood Commander Peary, then Gov. Fernald, Mayor Hamilton and President Hyde. The governor's staff, clad in their bright military uniforms and gold lace, were drawn up in a line behind the five men who were to do the handshaking. The doors were thrown open and the crowd began to surge in. A side line of people were passed up the narrow aisle to the receiving platform as fast as it was possible. They were only able to catch a hurried glance and quickly shake the hand of Commander Peary. There he stood in a blue serge suit, the coat of which was of the cut worn before the commander's last dash for the top of the world. He also wore a blue outing shirt, with the usual small rolling collar and a white tie. A small white rose dropped from the buttonhole of his coat. In striking contrast to the commander were the men in evening dress about him. He looked everyone who shook his hand squarely in the eye, his own blue eyes denoting a happy, but weary, man.

"How do you do?" "Thank you," "Yes," and "It's Great" were his own exclamations as the line passed hurriedly by, while out of the large drill floor behind him swayed backward and forward an ocean of humanity, eager to clasp the hand that has touched the North pole.

Bending low to this little girl in her red coat and blue hair ribbons, smiling and grasping firmly the small hand of a lad with dishevelled hair, and bowing respectfully to that old, gray haired woman who had braved the crowds that she might shake his hand, the great explorer spent two solid hours. A few months back and he could not see a living soul for miles around; now there were thousands all about him.

"It's great," he kept repeating first to Mayor Leighton on one side, and then to Gov. Fernald on the other, "it's great—it's great."

Banquet in His Honor

Finally after the monster crowd had been satisfied and had been sent outside the building, Peary was taken to the Falmouth hotel, where a big banquet was held in his honor.

All the while a tired, happy mother, with her two children, one a lad of six summers and the other a bright young lady had quietly and unobserved, except by a few who knew her, driven to her hotel. This woman was Mrs. Peary—the woman, whom the commander has said, helped him plan his 23 year conquest of the far north.

Commander Peary was the central figure last night in the only public function which the explorer will attend until the North pole controversy is settled. It was a brilliant affair and some four hundred citizens from Portland and South Portland were present.

Although seemingly worn out from his long railroad journey from North Sydney, C. B., the Arctic traveler sat at the head table, the centre of attraction, with a contented, happy smile lighting up his careworn face. In the centre of the head table rested a snow white candy image, representing the North pole with the Stars and Stripes flying from its apex, while all about little white snow men were dragging miniature sledges.

Commander Peary sat at the centre of the head table clad in the same neat blue suit which he wore at the reception. An unexpected ovation was accorded the man who is home at last. While the [illegible] was in progress. As he started to leave the hall, a great cheer began and as he passed between the tables he was cheered again and again.

Beside the speakers at the head table were Cyrus H. K. Curtis, John Kendrick Bangs, the celebrated author; Congressman John P. Swasey of the second Maine district; President Wm. A. Wheeler of the local board of trade; Prof. Albert E. Burton, dean of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and Judge Sewall C. Strout of this city.

The speeching done began about midnight, when Judge Edward C. Reynolds of So. Portland, a lifelong friend of the commander was introduced as toastmaster of the evening.

Following a brief address by Judge Reynolds, Gov. Bert M. Fernald formally welcomed Commander Peary on behalf of the state of Maine.

Gov. Fernald was followed by Mayor Adam P. Leighton of Portland, Mayor Fred G. Hamilton of South Portland and President Hyde of Bowdoin college.

Judge Reynolds introduced Commander Peary.

It was an hour past midnight when Commander Peary arose to speak. He was greeted by a great outburst of applause and [illegible] minutes elapsed before the explorer was able to make himself heard.

Peary's Reply

Commander Peary's response was [illegible]

"You know as do I that today has been a [illegible] day for me," he began. "This [illegible] demonstration in [illegible] every part of which I know [illegible] days, this splendid [illegible] striking loyalty [illegible] straight from the [illegible] from Mayor [illegible] Mrs. Peary, who has [illegible] have [illegible] will [illegible] Hamilton [illegible] to the attainment [illegible]

"It [illegible] for any age [illegible] of any individual [illegible] the stars [illegible] with [illegible] has been [illegible]

"I have [illegible] what is the scientific value of the discovery of the North pole. [illegible] that [illegible] a great deal greater [illegible] a few additional data about the earth. As long as there was a part of the earth undiscovered, it was a reproach on humanity and a challenge to civilization. Another thing, it has accredited to the United States another milestone in history. The way the pole has been enveloped in mystery for 300 years, it surely will be recognized as another milestone in history.

"Another fact is the satisfaction that at last a man in spite of every obstacle has made good [illegible]. Again, gentlemen, I thank you from the bottom of my heart for the courtesies of tonight."

Postmaster Reynolds then presented him with a loving cup in behalf of the citizens of the sister cities "in recognition of his achievement in nailing the Stars and Stripes to the North pole."

"Gentlemen," responded the commander, "permit me with the assistance of this loving cup in spirit to drink the health of the state of Maine and ourselves. Again, gentlemen, I thank you most deeply in words I cannot express."

The gathering dispersed after all had shaken Commander Peary's hand. Then he retired to his suite of rooms where Mrs. Peary and the children had sought much needed rest several hours.

The Peary family will proceed by motor boat to their summer residence at Eagle island, today.

GEN'L. HUBBARD

HAS SOME OF COMMANDER PEARY'S DATA

BAR HARBOR, Me., Sept. 24.—General Thomas H. Hubbard, president of the Peary Arctic club, held a conference yesterday at Bangor with Commander Robert E. Peary and returned here last night bringing with him some of the preliminary data and records which are to be used to maintain the position of the explorer in the Cook controversy. These records will be carefully considered within the next few days and General Hubbard and Commander Peary will confer here either next Sunday or Monday. This conference may result in an announcement making public any information in the possession of Commander Peary concerning Dr. Cook.

Peary has placed his case in General Hubbard's hands, and a meeting of the officers of the Peary Arctic club will be called at the earliest possible moment by General Hubbard. The meeting will be held in New York.

"Concerning Dr. Cook," said General Hubbard last night, "I would say let him submit his records and data to some competent authority and let that authority draw its own conclusions from the notes and records taken in the field."

While Peary and General Hubbard will discuss what disposition of the commander's data shall be laid before the Coast and Geodetic Survey at Washington will examine the records in an official capacity inasmuch as Commander Peary is an officer of the navy attached to that bureau at present.

Kittredge's orchestra, Prescott hall, Saturday night.

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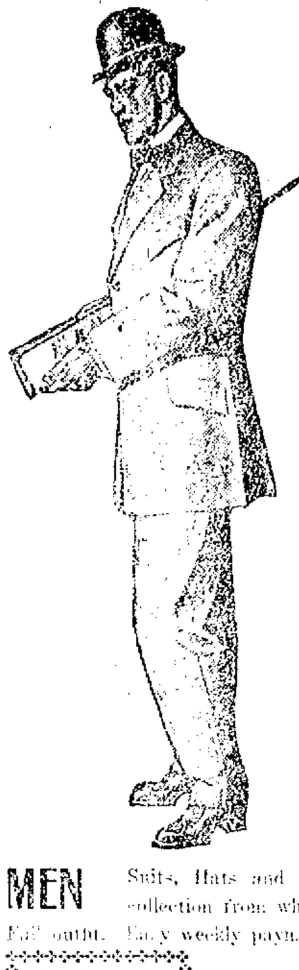

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36 Inch All Wool Batiste, All Wool [illegible], All Wool Henriettas, [illegible] for evening or street wear [illegible] .... 50c Yard

44 Inch Satin Prunella, [illegible] and navy [illegible] peacock, teakwood, smoke and taupe shade [illegible] black [illegible] shadow stripes. WARRANTED "SPOT-PROOF" and strictly all wool. Regular value $1.25, for .... $1.00 Per Yard

50 Inch Panama Suitings, [illegible] navy and black [illegible] .... 50c Yard

44 Inch All Wool Stripe Serges [illegible] brown, green [illegible] and burgundy. Opening price .... 69c Yard

42 Inch Satin Prunellas [illegible] strictly [illegible] Regular $1.00 value .... 79c Yard

54 Inch English Broadcloths [illegible] .... $1.00 Yard

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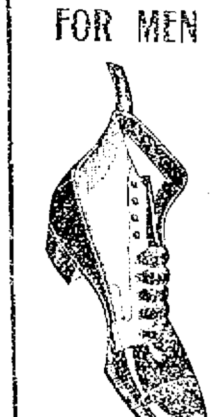
FALL SHOWING

—OF—

FOR MEN



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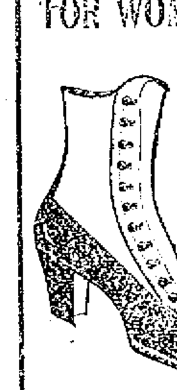

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BANNARD NAMED

For Mayor by New York Republicans

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—With the announcement from the platform that practically all the fusion and independent forces, with the exception of the independence league, would work in harmony to elect its candidates in the coming municipal election, the republican city convention in Carnegie hall unanimously nominated last night these candidates for the three leading municipal offices:

For mayor—Otto T. Bannard, republican, president of the New York Trust Co., resident of Manhattan borough.

For controller—Wm. A. Prendergast, republican, for many years president of the Credit Men's National association; resident of Brooklyn.

For president of the board of aldermen—John Purroy Mitchell, independent democrat, present commissioner of accounts; resident of Manhattan.

Mr. Bannard's name came into the candidacy as a surprise, for he had not been included even in the half dozen or more preliminary possibilities. It was not until after the convention had organized at noon and summarily adjourned while a committee was dispatched for a final conference with the fusion forces in the hope of reaching an agreement upon candidates that his name was presented.

After the conference Timothy L. Woodruff, chairman of the republican state committee, who presided, announced that the committee appointed to confer with the fusionists would report that the candidates nominated by the republicans would receive the support of the independent forces, and with this declaration before the convention the candidates were chosen.

The fusion element is centered in a non-partisan committee of 100, a subcommittee of which has been trying for the past week to agree on candidates. The independence league delegate withdrew from the conference yesterday because the league would not be a party to "bargaining for office," as the dissenting delegate expressed it.

The fusion sub-committee adjourned last night without formally indorsing the republican ticket as selected, but in view of Mr. Woodruff's announcement its support is relied upon.

In the platform adopted yesterday the convention went on record as a merciless critic of "Tammany misrule"; promised broad reforms, a reduction of living expenses by eliminating "the extravagances practiced by the McClellan administration," and an honest and efficient municipal government.

Mr. Bannard is a bachelor, 55 years old. He was born in Brooklyn and was graduated from Yale in 1876.

ANNUAL BANQUET

OF PHILATHEA CLASS OF FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

The annual banquet and election of officers of the Philathea class was held in the vestry of the First Congregational church, Wednesday evening, with a large attendance. The pastor, Rev. B. A. Willmott, the superintendent of the Sunday school, Mr. Arthur Bartlett, and Mrs. Bartlett were the guests of the evening. This class is composed entirely of young ladies, has a membership of about thirty, and is steadily growing owing to the efforts of the teacher, Mrs. B. A. Willmott.

One item of the treasurer's report was that the class has paid during the past year $108.00. That is from November, 1908, to Sept. 1st, 1909, toward the church debt.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Dorothy Wallenthin; vice-president, Bella Robinson; secretary, Bessie L. Worrall; treasurer, Jessie Hanson.

Membership committee—Ethel L. Putnam, chairman; Lydwin Bernier, Jeanie McIntyre, Ella Martel, Loviila Peabody, Mertle Houston, Grace Thurber, Katherine Williamson, Alice Cochrane.

Visiting committee—Mary Brown, chairman; Winifred Conant, Ruth McGowan, Mary Gunther, Alice French, Louise Bernier, May Upham.

Social committee—Helen Thomas, chairman; Grace Cleaves, Lilla Cutler, Ethel Foster, Ivah Connell, Luella Humphreys, Elizabeth Whipple, Albertine Bernier, Olive Roy.

I Am Spot Cash King

ANOTHER PHENOMENAL PURCHASE by Mitchell, the tailor, and another unexampled offer to the people of Lowell. The University Tailors, Inc., 30 Kingston St., Boston, New England's leading tailors, to the trade, take my money and give me their woolens. The choicest portion of this very select stock of Worsteds, Cheviots, and Tweed suitings of Meltons, Kerseys and Novelty Overcoatings goes on sale Saturday morning at my Lowell store. I invite you to call and see these classy woolens. If you don't want your Fall suit or overcoat just now make your selection and I will fix it for a late delivery.

University Tailors' $22.50 Suitings and Coatings to Order

$10

SPECIAL I will be in Lowell personally Saturday and Monday for this sale.

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TAX CONFERENCE

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 24.—The election of officers and the appointment of committees to determine next year's program today ended a four days' session of the International Tax association's conference here. No contests are expected.

A "CROWDED CAR"

Interstate Board Asked for Opinion

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—That the interstate commerce commission must promulgate a regulation specifying what constituted a "crowded street car" before the act of congress, approved May 23, 1908, giving the commission jurisdiction over street car lines in the district of Columbia can be enforced, is the substance of a decision handed down yesterday by Judge Mullowney of the district police court. He sustained the motion of the street railroad of the district to quash the information based on evidence as to the overcrowding of street cars, but declined to rule that the act was unconstitutional. Judge Mullowney took the ground that congress laid down general principles as to the overcrowding of street cars depending upon the interstate commerce commission to adopt rules that would specify what constituted overcrowding. Without such regulations he declared it was not possible within the meaning of the law to determine what constitutes overcrowding.

THE PLANET MARS

Nearer Earth Today Than Ever Before

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—Nearer the earth by 15,000,000 miles than it has been for 15 years, the planet Mars today is the object of great interest to the astronomers throughout the world, particularly at the United States naval observatory here. Its average distance from the earth is 50,000,000 miles. Its distance from the earth today was only 35,000,000 miles.

With this proximity of the planet interest will become, even among those who cannot claim to be students of astronomy, all the keener on account of the probability that new discoveries concerning matters Martian will be made.

GENERAL CORBIN

Was Buried in Arlington Cemetery

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—Almost side by side with the bodies of Gen. Lawton and Wirt the body of the late Lieut. Gen. Henry C. Corbin was interred in Arlington national cemetery today in the presence of the members of the distinguished family and many of his personal friends.

The body of Gen. Corbin has repose in the receiving vault of the cemetery since Sept. 10.

The religious services at the grave was conducted by the Rev. W. E. Francis, chaplain of the fifteenth cavalry stationed at Fort Meyer, Va.

SPANISH FORCES

HOLD LINE TO FOOT OF MOUNT GURUGA

MELILLA, Sept. 24.—The occupation of clearing and occupying the peninsula north of Melilla continues with little resistance. The Spanish forces now hold an entrenched line from the sea on the west to the foot hills of Mount Guruga to prevent the Moors from getting to their rear, and they have occupied also an important strategic position at Nador to the southward. This is preliminary to the real work of outflanking the Moors upon Mount Guruga.

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From Deitz Bros., New York. Fine Fancy Worsteds, in the latest men's and young men's models. New colorings and patterns. The cleanest lot of suits we have seen this season and fully 1-3 under price. See them in our window.

See Our Great Display "Broadway to Lowell"

$15 New Fall Suits $10.50

About 1-3 Off

TALBOT'S American House Block, Central St., Cor. Warren St.

COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS

Heard Many Claimants for Damages Against the City

A rather lengthy meeting of the committee on claims was held last night in the common council chamber, Alderman Dexter presiding. In all there were 32 claims, though the majority of them were of minor importance.

Mrs. Annie Dolan claimed that she suffered personal injuries as a result of a defective sewer in West Third street. Dr. Meagher testified as to the nature of the injuries suffered by Mrs. Dolan. She was represented by Gardner W. Pearson.

Thomas Callahan asked for damages because of personal injuries received by falling on a defective sidewalk in Coburn street.

John Meehan asked damages for injuries caused by a falling stone, while he was working for the city on the Oaklands sewer. W. A. Hogan appeared for him. Blood-poisoning resulted from his injuries, he said.

William Clark asked damages for a broken leg by falling on ice in Middlesex street.

Isabella Scallion asked damages because of acute nervousness, caused by being hit by a stream of water. It was while she was walking in High street, while city employes were fixing a hydrant. William F. Curtin appeared for her.

Gardner W. Pearson and James N. Greig, as commanding officers of Companies C and K of the Sixth regiment, M. V. M., appeared as petitioners for the payment of $40.83 and $199.55 for target hire and transportation at the Dracut rifle range. Mr. Pearson said that the companies had paid the bills and asked the city to reimburse them. Capt. Greig stated that the understanding at the state house is that the city must be fined unless it pays the bills of the military companies.

Jesse H. Shepard and Henry C. Fuller petitioned for the abatement of taxes for the years 1906 and 1907. Mr. Shepard appeared and asked the return of $35.19, money which had been paid on property not owned by petitioners.

Bernard A. Connors, asked for damages because of personal injuries he received while employed in the street department and alleged to have been caused by the defective condition of Allen avenue near Lakeview avenue. Mr. Pearson appeared for petitioner. No witnesses were heard. Mr. Pearson merely asking for the payment of the award made in 1907.

Hermann Pfeiffer and Mrs. Alice C. Pfeiffer claimed that they were entitled to damages owing to the fact that they had suffered from sickness caused by the overflowing of water into the cellar at their home, 93 Stratham street. James Healey, a letter carrier, said that the water had been forced into his cellar.

Sarah A. Wood petitioned for damages because of injuries caused by stepping into a trench in the northeastern side of Hildreth street. Mrs. Wood claimed that she was thrown heavily against a telephone pole breaking her right arm.

Mrs. Mary J. Allen asked damages for injuries caused by ice and snow, in Suffolk street, Dec. 20, 1908. Dr. Bartlett said Mrs. Allen's leg was fractured. His bill was $42 he said.

Mrs. Catherine Kelley broke her right wrist Dec. 13, last, by falling on the ice and snow in Merrimack street. She asked damages. Dr. T. J. Halloran attended Mrs. Kelley.

RED SOX LOSE

Cleveland Won Final Game by Score of 7-3

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—Cleveland won the last game of the series yesterday, 7 to 3. Able, another recruit, pitched and was a puzzle to the locals except in one inning. Hall started off well, but was hit hard in three innings. The game was remarkably well played, in view of the fact that the field was very muddy and wet. The score:

CLEVELAND

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Riley, lf	4	2	1	0	0	0
Stovall, 1b	5	1	3	8	0	0
Hinchman, rf	5	1	2	1	0	0
Lajoie, 2b	4	2	3	5	4	0
Birmingham, cf	4	1	3	3	0	0
Clarke, c	3	0	2	7	1	0
Bradley, 3b	3	0	1	1	2	0
Stark, ss	4	0	0	2	4	0
Able, p	4	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	36	7	15	27	15	0

BOSTON

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Niles, lf	4	1	1	0	1	0
Lord, 3b	4	1	1	1	4	0
Speaker, cf	3	1	2	2	0	0
French, ss	4	0	0	0	3	0
Stahl, 1b	4	0	3	11	1	0
McConnell, 2b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Howard, rf	4	0	1	0	1	0
Madden, c	4	0	1	11	2	0
Hall, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Donohue, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Matthews, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	34	3	9	27	16	0

x—Batted for Hall in the 8th.

Cleveland ....0 0 0 2 2 1 0 1 1—7
Boston ....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0—3

Two base hits—Stovall, Stahl. Home run—Speaker. Hits—Off Hall 14 in 8 innings; off Matthews 1 in 1 inning. Sacrifice hit—Clarke. Sacrifice fly—Bradley. Stolen bases—Stovall, Riley. Left on bases—Cleveland 6; Boston 5. First base on balls—Off Able 1; off Matthews 2. Struck out—By Hall 9; by Able 7; by Matthews 1. Passed ball—Clarke. Time—1.40. Umpires—Egan and Sheridan.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Detroit	92	51	64.4
Philadelphia	89	53	62.7
Boston	83	60	58.0
Chicago	70	72	49.3
New York	68	73	48.2
Cleveland	69	75	47.9
St. Louis	60	82	42.3
Washington	39	104	27.3

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS

Cleveland 7, Boston 3.
Detroit 8, Washington 1.
Philadelphia 6, St. Louis 2.
New York 4, Chicago 2 (first game.)
New York 7, Chicago 1 (second game).

AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES TODAY

St. Louis at Boston.
Detroit at New York.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Washington.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Pittsburg	103	38	73.1
Chicago	93	46	66.9
New York	83	53	61.0
Cincinnati	75	69	52.1
Philadelphia	69	71	49.3
St. Louis	47	89	34.6
Brooklyn	48	89	35.0
Boston	39	99	28.3

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS

Philadelphia 12, Cincinnati 2.
Brooklyn 4, Chicago 1 (first game); Chicago 4, Brooklyn 1 (second game).
New York 5, St. Louis 0 (first game); New York 12, St. Louis 5 (second game).

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES TODAY

Boston at Chicago.
New York at Cincinnati.
Philadelphia at Pittsburg.
Brooklyn at St. Louis.

O'KEEFE BEATEN

YOUNG ERNE WAS GIVEN THE DECISION

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24.—Two of the cleverest lightweights in this city, Tommy O'Keefe and Young Erne, met in the windup at the Broadway Athletic club last night. At the end of the sixth round Erne was entitled to the decision.

Up to the middle of the fifth round honors were even; in fact, O'Keefe had outboxed the veteran. Toward the close of the fifth Erne landed a wicked righthand punch under his opponent's heart and the latter went down. Erne quickly took advantage of his opponent's weakened condition from the effect of the heart blow and landed rights and lefts to the body and jaw, causing O'Keefe to clinch to save himself from punishment in the sixth.

ENTERTAINING BOUTS

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—The Mishiwam A. C. of Charlestown entertained about 360 members at its rooms last night with a boxing program and vaudeville entertainment. The boxing bouts were fast and interesting. The feature bout, between Henry Miers and Jack Williams, a six round affair, was spirited, and resulted with the boys sharing honors for points at the end. Tommy Cosello and Willie Murray went four rounds to a draw; Jack Lee and Young Madden boxed a draw and Young Fitzgerald had all the better of Jack Moir, a little English boxer.

McGANN WINS PRIVATE BOUT

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 24.—In a private bout for a $500 side bet near here yesterday afternoon Hugh McGann, the clever Indianapolis light heavyweight, who a few months ago put up such a great battle against Stanley Ketchel in Pittsburg, knocked out Tom Rogers, heavyweight champion of Canada, in two rounds. While the fight did not last long, it was a fierce one.

THEFT CHARGED

Youth Caught After a Long Chase

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—George Gordon Earle, 19 years old, of Dwight street, was arrested yesterday after an exciting chase through Milk street to India street, pursued by Mounted Officer Connelly, an unmounted officer and 50 people.

Earle's companion, who was also followed for some distance by the crowd, dodged behind a building and escaped.

Earle was arrested on the charge of the larceny of fire extinguishers from the buildings at 119 and 125 Milk street. It is claimed 13 extinguishers, valued at $15 each, have been taken from these premises within a month.

Yesterday Earle and his companion entered the building at 125 Milk street and walked up to two stands, where were located fire extinguishers, took them down and left the building in the gaze of a number of people.

A custodian who had seen Earle before thought something was wrong and cried: "Stop thief!" The two men started to run, after dropping the cylinders.

FINGER INJURED

A. W. McDONALD MET WITH AN ACCIDENT

A. W. McDonald, residing at 31 Jenness street, employed at the Auto Tire Vulcanizing Co., suffered a fracture of one of the bones of the third finger of the left hand Wednesday by the falling of a 50-pound weight. He received treatment at the Emergency hospital.

While at work at the Mason Safety Tread Co. yesterday, Eugene Mitchell had the first finger of the right hand cut. He had the injury treated at the Emergency hospital.

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MANAGER OF BOSTON AND TWO STAR PITCHERS WHO WILL OPPOSE EACH OTHER SHORTLY

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—While the fight for the banner in the National league is practically settled, the battle for first place in the American league is still being waged fiercely between the Detroit Tigers and the Philadelphia Athletics, with the outcome in some doubt, due to the fact that the latter team will wind up the season at home, while Detroit must play out the string in the enemy's country. The Athletics gained a little ground by winning three out of four games from Detroit recently, and now much depends upon the New York-Detroit series to be played Sept. 24, 25, 27 and 28 and the Boston-Detroit games Sept. 29, 30 and Oct. 1. Both the Yankees and the Red Sox are putting up a first class article of ball, and as these two teams have proved a thorn in the side of the Tigers all season the coming series may rob them of a chance to establish a new record in the junior organization—that of winning the banner three consecutive times. Philadelphia will play four games with Cleveland, starting Sept. 24, and later Connie Mack's men will tackle the Chicago White Sox for three games, and as a windup to the season of 1909 the Athletics will stack up against Washington. All in all it looks like a toss up with take your pick between the two teams for the banner. Cicotte, the Boston's star pitcher, has proved himself to be one of the cleverest twirlers in the American league this season. He has any number of curves and good control. Willetts of the Tigers has improved over 1908 form, and has been taking his turn regularly in the box. Great credit must be given to Fred Lake manager of the Bostons. Early in the season he took charge of what was called the joke club of the league and whipped them into a near championship team. Next season he will surely be heard from. Scene shows Ty Cobb of the Tigers making a sensational slide for home plate in a recent Philadelphia-Detroit game.

A STRANGE CASE

Woman in a State of Coma

WHITMAN, Sept. 24.—The medical fraternity in this vicinity is interested in the case of Mrs. Luke Gorman of Beulah street, who has been in a comatose condition for nearly three weeks. In spite of every effort on the part of the physicians, the disease fails to respond to treatment.

Mrs. Gorman is 51 years of age, and up to the time she was stricken with the disease was in excellent health. She is aroused with considerable difficulty to take nourishment, and as soon as she takes a few mouthfuls of food she relapses into a state of coma.

The physicians say that she is perfectly conscious of surrounding conditions, but that she is in a cataleptic state, and they say it is impossible to determine how long it will last.

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WILLIAM J. COOK

Sentenced for Stealing From His Father

LAWRENCE, Sept. 24.—In superior court yesterday Judge Hardy sentenced William J. Cook of Amesbury to the Concord reformatory on the charge of larceny of $500 from the defendant's father. The case of Michael F. Finnerty, who was convicted of receiving a part of the money, was continued a year to give him a chance to make restitution.

Matthew Lekoski of Lawrence, who stole a bankbook and drew $150 belonging to a relative, was placed on probation. Most of the money was recovered. Daniel Scannell was convicted of the charge of stealing a number of tools from buildings in Haverhill. He got four months.

Albert A. Dudley admitted his guilt of the charge of breaking and entering in Beverly. A number of convictions was introduced against him. He was sentenced to 18 months in the house of correction.

Isaiah W. Horton was committed for three months on the charge of attempting to break and enter in Gloucester.

James H. Nicholson, John H. Sweeney and John F. Hopwood were placed on trial on the charge of breaking and entering the home of Mrs. Harriet Newhall in Lynn. An additional charge of felonious assault was also heard against Hopwood. The alleged victim was a daughter of Mrs. Newhall, the girl having been in charge of the house when the men came there.

Grigor Pakalik was convicted of larceny of $100 from a Polish woman in Lynn and was committed for six months. The jury returned a verdict of guilty against Pasquale Russo, charged with breaking and entering a fruit store in Swampscott.

Charles Weeks of Lynn, indicted for felonious assault, was sentenced to the reformatory.

LOWELL BOY

GETS POSITION WITH CANADIAN NORTHERN RAILWAY

Eugene G. Roussin, son of Truant Commissioner Camille Roussin, of this city, has been appointed traveling agent on the Canadian Northern railway. The position is one which was recently created owing to the expansion of the road's lines between Montreal and Ottawa.

Mr. Roussin was born in this city and left here but a few weeks ago to live in Joliette, Que., where his wife's family resides. He has had considerable experience in railroading, having been in the employ of the Boston & Maine and also the Canadian Pacific railway.

DES MOINES CHARTER

William G. Stevenson, a reporter for the Des Moines News, has been visiting his cousin, Robert E. Wescott, in this city for the past few days. Mr. Stevenson speaks very interestingly of the Des Moines charter which puts the administration in the hands of a commission. He feels sure that the people will never return to the old form of government.

LARCENY OF GAS

Is the Charge Against Annie Manley

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—Charged with the larceny of 66,000 cubic feet of illuminating gas, valued at $52.50, Annie L. Manley of 28 Holyoke street, South End, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Special Officer Wm. J. Irwin of the South End police station. Two years ago Mrs. Manley gained considerable notoriety when she figured as complainant in a suit for breach of promise, instituted against Prof. Marcou, then of Harvard.

The gas company agents say that since February somebody has been tampering with the property of the company at 28 Holyoke street. The meter had been disconnected, and any gas that was burned in the house was, they assert, done so illegally. Agents Ernest Barker and John Hyde of the company were assigned to watch the house after it was learned that gas was being burned there.

They say that in making an investigation they discovered that somebody had connected a rubber tube between the main line and the house piping, across the space where the meter should be, the meter having been removed.

Take Care —OF— Your Eyes
You can get a pair of new glasses as often as you like, but you can never have but one pair of eyes, so you cannot be too careful about them. There are fits and misfits among opticians, and persons should give much thought about the place where they go to have their glasses fitted. We are experts in this business. Optical work is our specialty. We guarantee to improve your eyesight and in a natural way with the latest scientific instrument. Our desire is that you call in and let us make you happy by a clear vision in sight. Remember the place.
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The best that money can buy, at rock bottom prices. Telephone your orders here where your trade will be appreciated.
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GREAT CHANGE

In Interior Decorations in Court House

Lawyers, reporters and others who have had occasion to visit the court house in Gorham street within the last few weeks have had more or less to say about the newness of its appearance. The very refreshing change which has taken place in the appearance of the court house on the hill is due to the painters' brush and the skill of the painter. The new court house is quite a splendid building, but until recently the painter had never done justice to its interior. Heretofore it seemed as if he struggled with his brush; as though he felt the coming of seasons of weariness and darkness.

The last painter was more optimistic. Even in the criminal court he painted a ray of sunshine yet there is no lack of harmony. The bright fancy of the painter flirts with the great stillness of the room, as if he would have gladness instead of sorrow.

There was one thing that the writer, who visited the court house but yesterday was glad to learn. Practically unacquainted with the painters and decorators throughout the city, the thought that the work had been done by painters from out of town pushed itself along his thinking wires and he made inquiry concerning it. As to the belief that the work was done by Boston or other out of town parties he was quickly disillusioned. The work was done by Dwyer & Co., painters and decorators. Their place of business is at 47 Andover street, and the court house job is a credit to them.

The interior of the court house from the front door to the last room on the last floor is a symphony of color. All of the rooms are pretty and inviting in their new coats of paint and the color scheme is perfect. Ivory white trimmings predominate and the warm buff color of the wall harmonizes with the purity of the ceilings. Then comes the relief of the gray blue panel, the pretty contrast of the pale green and ivory with here and there a companian piece of old rose. A great many of the combinations are entirely original and decidedly pleasing to the eye. All of the individual colors are perfect, and they have been artistically assembled.

One of the court officers who came to Lowell a few days ago and who remained while the court was in session, is quoted as saying that the interior of the court room in Gorham street, so far as painting is concerned, is more artistically done than any court house he has seen in many moons. "A triumph of colors" was the way he expressed it.

DIAMOND NOTES

Hugh Jennings denies that he has been dickering with the owners of the Philadelphia Nationals, but admits that when his contract as manager of the Detroits expires at the end of the season he will be able to consider propositions from Philadelphia or any other club. As Jennings has made the Detroit club a money maker it is not probable that he will be allowed to get away by President Navin. Friends of Jennings say he thinks he is worth a salary of $10,000 a year and is also anxious to remain at the head of the Tigers. The Philadelphia club's owners admit that they want Jennings, which would seem to indicate that Felix Isman's plan to secure Mike Donlin as Billy Murray's successor has been sidetracked. Donlin, by the way, has stated openly within the last two weeks that he will never play ball again and that he does not care for a managerial berth.

As Pittsburg has apparently clinched the National league pennant President Dreyfuss is making arrangements for the accommodation of 50,000 persons at Forbes Field. He is also willing to reduce the general rate of admission to the world's series games in Pittsburg, especially if the Athletics are the contenders for the championship. In Philadelphia the admission to the open stands is 25 cents, while the grand stand tariff is double that sum. For that reason Dreyfuss says Pittsburg patrons should be similarly treated if his team plays the Quakers. But if Detroit takes part in the series the regular rates will prevail. As a matter of fact the National commission has the sole right to fix the prices, and it is believed that it is opposed to a reduction under any circumstances.

Catcher Gibson of the Pittsburgs has broken the record for consecutive games behind the bat. He has caught in every game played by the Pirates with one exceptoin this season, and is determined to remain on the job right through to the end of the world's series unless he is injured.

The Highlanders will play two games with the Chicago White Sox today, and if they win both the percentages will be Chicago .493 and New York .482. Sox being just one and a half games ahead of the locals. Stallings said yesterday that the Highlanders realized the task set before them, but were determined to finish in fourth place. It is the opinion of good judges that Earl Gardner at second base, has just about "made" the Highlanders, who have lost many games this year because the keystone of the diamond has been improperly cared for.

Chicago critics say that McGraw has secured a promising young pitcher in Klawitter, secured from the Texas league. He made his first major league appearance against the Cubs on Monday after Marquard had been benched and showed plenty of iron nerve. He displayed cool judgment at crucial periods and altogether made an excellent impression. Mr. Graw was so well pleased with the young man's work that he promised to let him pitch a whole game at St. Louis.

AMATEUR BASEBALL.

What promises to be a good game will be played on the South common, Saturday afternoon, between the Dragons and Dixwells, as each team has won a game this will be for the rubber. Batteries will be: Condor and Sturtevant for Dragons, Wheeler and Deforge for the Dixwells. Game called at 3 o'clock.

The second game in the series between the Mt. Groves and Y. M. C. A. will be played Saturday, Sept. 25, at 3 p. m. This game should be a hot one. The first resulted in a win for the Y. M. C. A. by the score of 8 to 7, but the Mt. Grove men say that luck will not save the Y. M. C. A. next time. The game should be well worth witnessing.

FOOTBALL NOTES

Early straws show which way the wind blows, what the football coaches hope for and fear.

The attention the ends are receiving at the Soldiers Field is significant. Of course, to get the ends in condition is always the first move in the game. But there is another reason. That Cornell team will go to Boston depending on speed. They go in for speed at Ithaca. With no Walder in the game this year, it will be speed on which Cornell must depend. And Cornell comes first, before Dartmouth, before Yale.

To stop Marks of Dartmouth behind Capt. Tobin, to stop Capt. Coy of Yale behind Andrus and Goebel, Harvard will want a certain trio too. But Cornell comes first.

Straws are blowing at New Haven too. They are searching for brains. The quarter-back hunt is the absorbing problem there. Yale's team had the goods last fall. But the delivery wagon was lacking.

At Princeton they are working the men hard. They want eleven men who can play through a game at the championship distance.

At Hanover they have pressed into service their basketball players, men whose sporting instinct enables them to anticipate and block short snappy passes, men whose training has been along those same lines. They remember at Hanover how Capt. Fish of Harvard defeated them last fall by receiving a forward pass in an attitude which Walter Camp describes as "unconventional." A pass which, they say at Hanover, should have been intercepted.

The straws show.

Unless the cares of the captaincy ruin a wonderful player, or unless his match is wonderfully discovered elsewhere, Capt. Miller of Pennsylvania will generally receive the "All-American" distinction this fall, which a few of the critics gave him on the strength of his play in less than a full game against Cornell a year ago. The red and blue has a remarkable collection of quarter-backs with Hutchinson, Johnson and the Thayer brothers to draw from in addition to the captain, but unless Miller played far beyond his natural best in that Cornell game he is far and away the king of them all.

At Philadelphia they call Gaston, who is assisting with the coaching at Franklin Field, "the best coached tackle that ever played at Pennsylvania." In his four years of service with the 'varsity some bright and shining lights taught Gaston the lore which he will now endeavor to hand down undimmed.

An absurd rumor circulates to the effect that Yale will develop two teams this year, one for the minor games, another for the big games. Undoubtedly it may be necessary to let Capt. Coy, Naedele and Kilpatrick get into condition slowly, but if Yale does not line up her eleven in the practise games as it will line up against Harvard and the Tigers, then so much the worse for Yale. Here is the full list of "veterans who will be reserved for the big games" (presumably in cotton wool): "Kilpatrick, Brown, Naedele, Johnson, Corey, Philbin, Daly, Capt. Coy."

The use of the dive tackle limited at Harvard, and the candidates at Dartmouth and elsewhere taught to pick up the ball on the run instead of falling on it, are indications of the essential modification in standards of play for which "new football" is responsible.

BOXING GOSSIP.

More stories were told recently which if true lend color to the belief that the Ketchel-Langford fiasco was the result of a plot hatched by rival promoters and aided by persons supposed to be friendly disposed toward Ketchel. An influential politician whose veracity there seems to be no reason for doubting is responsible for the statement that last week just before the Fairmont club called the big bout off Willus Britt told him confidentially that Ketchel had no chance to defeat Langford as one of his hands had been seriously injured while training. According to this man's story Britt said it was the same hand Ketchel "broke" in the recent mill with Papke in California. This information, coming from the inside, is said to have caused certain wise men about town to hedge wagers made on Ketchel or to refrain from betting at all.

Joe Woodman, Langford's manager, declares that the opposition to the bout was due to indirect influence exerted by persons who feared that Ketchel would be defeated and that in his opinion other persons who were jealous of the Fairmont club rendered assistance in having the attention of Gov. Hughes called to the bout. From Ketchel and Britt, who are on their way to California, comes the alleged declaration that if Ketchel defeats Jack Johnson on Oct 12 at Colma he will promptly draw the color line by refusing to fight Langford under any circumstances. Persons who know Ketchel said yesterday that they did not believe he was afraid to tackle Langford here and was much disappointed when the bout was declared off. They also declared that if allowed to have his own way Ketchel would willingly settle his differences with Langford, win or lose in the coming battle with Johnson. Meanwhile the impression on the coast grows stronger that Johnson will beat Ketchel as easily as he trimmed Kaufman. The betting on the coast is 10 to 4 that Johnson will win on points in twenty rounds and even money that Ketchel will be put to sleep. If Ketchel's bout with Langford had been allowed and the Michigan lion had won decisively interest in the bout with Johnson would have been doubly increased, but as it is now ring experts with few exceptions believe that the Johnson-Ketchel fight will be one sided all the way.

Jeffries was recently seen at Carlsbad by a New Yorker who returned here on Tuesday with the tip that the boilermaker is having some trouble with his right arm. From this observer it was learned yesterday that Jeffries had been taking mud baths and drinking the waters of the famous health resort ever since his arrival there. He has also indulged in long walks but has done no boxing or gymnasium work. He has been going to bed at 9 p. m. to get up with the sun. According to the New Yorker, Jeffries seems to have no great amount of superfluous flesh on his massive frame and looks as strong as an ox. But the big fellow refused to be weighed. He said he was down to about 226 pounds but looked at least 15 pounds heavier. In answer to a direct question he declared that he fully intended to fight Johnson, but would not say when or where and also refrained from naming the date of his departure for this country. He admitted, however, that Sam Berger had been authorized by him to arrange preliminaries for the proposed Johnson match.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

ADMIRAL SCHLEY

Presided at the Cook Banquet

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Cheered by a thousand men and women as he entered the banquet hall last night on the arm of Rear Admiral Winfield Scott Schley (retired), Dr. Frederick A. Cook later told his story before the most brilliant audience that he has addressed since he left the court of Denmark. The banquet was given by the Arctic Club of America, of which Dr. Cook is a member, in recognition of his last polar venture which culminated in his announcement that he had reached the North pole. While there was no official representative from either state or nation, the assemblage was cosmopolitan and enthusiastic. Crowded in the great ballroom of the Waldorf-Astoria they toasted the Brooklyn explorer and listened attentively to his recital in the form of an after-dinner address.

Among those at the table were explorers, some of whom knew the dangers and suffering of the Arctic zone almost as well as Dr. Cook himself. Men of science were there also, but the explorer addressed himself primarily to the great majority of his hearers whose interest in polar conquest has but lately been aroused. Commander Peary's name he did not mention except at the end of his speech when he said: "There is glory enough for all." Then it was that Peary's name mingled with those of other explorers to whom he referred with reverence.

Seated beside the explorer beneath the blue flag of the Arctic club were Rear Admiral Schley; Caral Moltke, the Danish minister; Patrick S. McGowan, president of the board of aldermen, and Bird S. Coler, president of the borough of Brooklyn, Dr. Cook's home town.

Admiral Schley presided and introduced Dr. Cook with many eulogistic expressions in his ability and confidence in his attainment.

Kindling wood at your storeman's. Insist on getting Quinn's, and note the difference, 5c bag.

LAWRENCE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

If the allegations of a growing lack of interest in the industrial school have any foundation or otherwise, the institution will begin business this year under pretty rosy auspices. The night classes maintained last term will be a secondary feature of the school this term, which will boast a day school with several teachers' jobs calling for pretty good money. The course of the school this term may justify the very free expenditure of money for salaries but in any event the industrial training idea is costing Lawrence a pretty penny. As this city seems a sort of experiment station for the movement the success of the school, providing it shall prove a success, may gain us fame afar off. If the lack of interest noted last term shall be the case this term, then the city will achieve fame merely as a good thing" for patriots who would serve their country and state in public office.—Lawrence Eagle.

Kittredge's orchestra, Prescott hall, Saturday night.

TWO JUSTICES

To Arbitrate the Sugar Trust Case

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24.—After an extended discussion of the terms of settlement in the $30,000,000 suit, brought in New York by the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining Co. against the American Sugar Refining Co. Judges Wilson and Audenreid in common pleas court here yesterday, agreed to act as arbitrators in the matter and determine finally whether the compromise offered by the American Sugar Refining Co. should be accepted.

BIG CROWD

EXPECTED AT THE HOLY NAME SOCIETY COMMUNION

The breakfast committee of St. Peter's Holy Name society held a meeting last evening and discussed the arrangements for the event. The communion day of the society will be Sunday, October 10th, and the breakfast will be held in Lincoln hall. Vice President Richard Lyons presided and the committee was of the opinion that a larger crowd than has yet appeared at any similar event would attend. Secretary Ward will send out the double postal cards within a week and the committee desires that the members send in their replies as soon as possible.

GEN'L LAWRENCE

Sovereign Grand Commander of Masons

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—With the election of Gen. Samuel C. Lawrence of Medford as sovereign grand commander, the choice of the other officers and the selection of Detroit, Mich., as the place of the next meeting, the supreme council of Soverign Grand Inspectors General of the 33rd degree Scottish Rite of Free Masonry of the northern jurisdiction closed its session here last night.

The third Tuesday in September was named as the date for the 1910 meeting.

Other officers elected were:

Lieutenant grand commander, Barton Smith, Toledo, O.

Grand administrator of state general, John C. Smith, Chicago.

Grand treasurer general, Newton A. Arnold, Providence, R. I.

Grand secretary general, James H. Codding, New York.

Grand keeper of archives, Leo M. Abbott, Boston.

Grand master general of ceremonies, Thomas E. Balding, Wisconsin.

Grand marshal general, R. A. Shares, New Jersey.

Grand captain of guards, Col. G. O. Tyler, Vermont.

Among the State deputies chosen were:

New Hampshire—Dr. George W. Currier.

Massachusetts—Leo M. Abbott.

Rhode Island—Dr. George H. Kenyon.

Vermont—Marshall O. Perkins.

BIG FIRE

BROKE OUT IN CRESCENT PARK LAST NIGHT

EAST PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 24—Crescent Park, one of the most famous parks in New England was threatened with destruction by a fire that broke out in the Steeplechase last night. The blaze spread rapidly, destroying three or four neighboring structures when help was called from Providence which sent a hose wagon to the scene. The largest owner of the property is Col. R. A. Harrington of Providence.

Twelve buildings in all were destroyed and the total loss is estimated at about $5000 covered by insurance. Among the places destroyed were the animal house, three large clam houses and the large bake house. The blaze started in the animal house from some unknown cause.

80 YEARS OLD

IRA E. HARTWELL OBSERVED BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY

Ira E. Hartwell, one of Lowell's oldest citizens celebrated his 80th birthday yesterday at his home in Varney street, and the occasion was observed by a family reunion. Mr. Hartwell has resided in this city for almost 70 years, and can distinctly recall the passage through the city of a New Hampshire regiment en route to the Mexican war, away back in 1847. Mr. Hartwell, has also the proud honor of having built the first brick oven for baking purposes, in this part of the country. He is in the possession of all his faculties, and is enjoying excellent health.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL.

Court Merrimack, Foresters of America, is making big arrangements for the 30th anniversary of the formation of the court, which will be observed with a banquet at Associate hall on Wednesday evening, Sept. 29. Among the guests who have accepted invitations to be present are the following: Supreme Treasurer Edward B. O'Brien of Lynn, Mass.; Supreme Secretary T. M. Donnelly of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Supreme Recording Secretary J. W. Slattery of Westboro; Grand Chief Ranger John R. Feeley of Pittsfield, and William J. Mountain of Gardner, grand treasurer. Local members of the order holding office in the grand and supreme bodies will also attend. An elaborate program has been arranged by the entertainment committee.

Court General Shields

A well attended meeting of Court General Shields, Foresters of America, was held last night, Chief Ranger Jas. J. Gaffney presiding. There were five applications for membership and one candidate was initiated. The ways and means committee reported that plans were well under way for the coming social and dance which is to be held in Foresters hall in October.

The committee on class initiation reported that the grand class initiation will take place on the evening of Nov. 11. A prize of $7 in gold, as first, and a $3 hat as second will be given to the members bringing in the largest number of candidates on that evening.

Toward the close of the meeting interesting remarks were made by Brothers Green, Moss, McMahon, K[illegible]an and Daly.

Spindle City Circle

The regular meeting of Spindle City Circle was held last night in Post 120 hall, C. C. Alice Devlin in the chair. There were visitors present from Boston, Lynn, Lawrence and Salem. Considerable business was done. [illegible] a social hour was enjoyed.

Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F.

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TAX ASSOCIATION MEETING

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19c Each
Fine bristles, ebony, natural and mahogany wood backs, regulation size.

PRETTY VAL LACES
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Good assortment of widths and patterns, odds and ends, values up to 10c per yard.

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Colored grounds, pretty printed patterns, suitable for kimonas, dressing sacques or lounging robes.

WOMEN'S WHITE SKIRTS
In the Basement Saturday
25c Each
Made from good quality cotton, full width, deep flounce and regular lengths.

CHILDREN'S SCHOOL BAGS
In the Basement Saturday
19c Each
Made from good heavy corduroy velvet in a dark bronze color and full size.

A PRETTY WHITE LACE BANDING
In the Basement Saturday
10c per Yard
This is a special offering of about 30 pieces, all one pattern, and is a good substitute for Baby Irish Lace.

WOMEN'S BLACK PETTICOATS
In the Basement Saturday
29c Each
Made from fine black mercerized fabric, cut very full and with deep corded flounce.

WOMEN'S COTTON NIGHT GOWNS
In the Basement Saturday
33c Each
Good quality of cotton, tucked yoke, pearl buttons, full width and length, ruffled neck and sleeves, sizes 14 to17.

WOMEN'S JERSEY VESTS
In the Basement Saturday
At 7c Each
Light or medium weight, high or low neck, the balance of mill samples advertised last week. The price is less than half.

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A splendid collection of pretty patterns in qualities and widths that usually retail as high as $1 per yard.

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PAYS WIFE $1000

Portion of Allowance to Mrs. Shaw

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—The Shaw divorce case came up by continuance in the equity session of the superior court yesterday on the motion of Mrs. Nettie E. Shaw for allowance for counsel fees and expenses.

It became known that in accordance with an arrangement made a week ago, her husband, Senator James F. Shaw, paid her $1000 on account. No further hearing was held on the motion. The divorce case will be tried later in Essex county.

CURTAIN ON FIRE

DEPARTMENT RESPONDED TO ALARM FROM BOX 53

An alarm from box 53 shortly after 4 o'clock last night summoned a portion of the fire department to a slight blaze in the [illegible] house in Tyler street. The wind blew a curtain against a lighted gas jet, the result being that the curtain caught fire. The damage was small.

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BIG CORPORATION

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WORCESTER, Sept. 24.—A reorganization of the Worcester Electric Light Co., to extend its business and to enable it to purchase any other company which the directors may want to secure control of, has been proposed to the stockholders in a circular letter mailed last night by the directors.

The J. G. White company of New York is understood to be behind the deal, and J. G. White is named as one of the trustees of the new holding company which will be known as the Worcester electric securities company. This new company will have a capital of $2,000,000, and the trustees offer to the present stockholders for their shares two shares of the new stock for every one of the old, and a cash bonus of $100 a share.

The present Worcester Electric Light company is capitalized for $800,000, and the stock is quoted at $2[illegible] a share, on a par value of $100. The company has paid 10 per cent and better for [illegible] per cent. dividends for two years. It is expected that the new stock company will pay an average dividend of 5 per cent a year.

The men selected to act as trustees under the new holding company are Charles N. Kinnicutt, William H. [illegible], [illegible] Gage, Charles M. [illegible], Frank A. Drury, T. Hovey Gage, [illegible] of Worcester and J. G. White of New York.

Arrangements have been made [illegible]

GONE 4 YEARS

WOMAN WANTS TO KNOW IF HUSBAND IS DEAD

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85 ARE INDICTED

Action Taken by U. S. Grand Jury

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., Sept. 24.—James C. Maybray and 84 alleged associates were yesterday indicted by the United States grand jury for the southern district of Iowa, charged with conspiring to defraud by illegal use of the United States mails. With the exception of Maybray and three or four others, none of those indicted are in custody, and for that reason the names of the defendants were not made public.

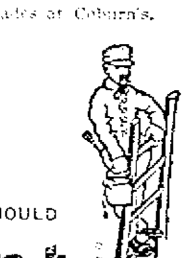
It is stated that the list includes many persons known in criminal annals in all parts of the country.

It is authoritatively stated that the amounts lost on fake race horses by the alleged victims of Maybray and others named will exceed half a million dollars.

Kittredge's orchestra, Prescott hall, Saturday night.

The thrifty trades at Coburn's.

FIVE STRONG REASONS WHY YOU SHOULD



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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

The long list of damage claims brought before the committee on claims recently indicates a dangerous condition of our streets or else a lot of misrepresentation by the people supposed to be injured.

NO TUBERCULOSIS GERMS AT THE POLE.

The latest suggestion as to the utility of the North pole comes from the surgeon of the Peary party who says that the air of the polar regions is adapted for the cure of tuberculosis. The doctors have been sending cases to warmer climates but this is the first announcement that they would recuperate equally well in the intense cold of the polar regions.

REBUFF TO CERTAIN VAUDEVILLE ACTORS.

For some time past there has been a tendency among vaudeville actors to single out somebody in the audience as a butt for derisive laughter. In Philadelphia recently an actor got into trouble by flashing a spotlight upon a young woman sitting with her husband in the audience as the comedian sang "There's Class to a Girl Like That." It seems there was class to the husband also for he jumped upon the stage and punched the comedian. He was taken to court and the judge, a Philadelphia lawyer at that, decided that the man was justified in thus defending his wife.

THE DEATH OF ROBERT HOE.

Few inventions of modern times have done more for civilization than the perfected printing press; and no man was more closely identified with the development and perfection of the rotary press than Robert Hoe, who died in London the other day.

It was Robert Hoe, his grandfather, who two generations ago produced the idea that ultimately developed into the marvelous printing press of today. It was the elder Robert Hoe who originated the idea of the cylindrical printing press which is the basis of the monstrous presses that run off the greatest newspapers in the world today.

But for the Hoe press the recent revolution in the newspaper business by which vast editions can be run off at lightning rapidity would have been impossible.

In making it possible to print with such perfection and rapidity, Robert Hoe did as much perhaps as any man that ever lived for the spread of intelligence and the advancement of knowledge in every civilized land.

THE LAWRENCE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.

The letter from the state board of education to the local superintendent of schools in reference to the Industrial school of Lawrence is one of considerable importance to the youth of Lowell.

We have already stated in these columns that the Lawrence school is available to students over fourteen years of age outside of Lawrence. The state board of education now urges upon the attention of Lowell boys the advantages of the school. Anybody desirous of knowing more of the courses should address Principal Dooley who has charge of the school.

The school is in its infancy, and its courses may not be properly adjusted or coordinated so as to offer the greatest advantage to students. The institution will improve with time, and it would be well for the people of Lowell to look into the courses of study and see whether they offer an opportunity for a smart boy to learn the principles of some trade or a number of trades by attending the Lawrence school. There is also a department in which girls are trained in the domestic arts. This is something new in this part of the state, and it should be availed of by girls who may be able to attend.

The communication of the state board shows that that body is interested in the success of the school and in having the opportunities it offers made available to the largest number possible.

TAFT AND THE ROOSEVELT POLICIES.

President Taft is making a favorable impression wherever he goes by his speeches. He has undertaken in a few cases to say that he would enforce the Roosevelt policies, but that is practically as far as he has gone in reference to the Roosevelt policies since he became president.

President Taft is outlining policies of his own that do not coincide exactly with the Roosevelt policies. They will probably accomplish more with less violence. Roosevelt might be compared to a surgeon who always favors the use of the knife as a remedy for disease, while Taft typifies the physician who uses scientific remedies and applies the knife only as a last resort. The people generally prefer the Taft method as the more rational and the more effective. For example, President Taft says he would narrow the anti-trust law so that it would not include in its category of crimes anything except a conspiracy or combination deliberately entered into to suppress competition in interstate trade.

"It has been suggested," says the president, "that the law ought to limit its denunciation to those contracts in restraint of trade that are unreasonable. I do not favor any such limitation, for the reason that in the common law the reasonable restraint of law came to have a very different meaning. What we need is a just anti-trust law, a law that can be enforced; a law, too, that provides for the imprisonment of all trust officials who violate it."

Such a change in the anti-trust law would undoubtedly prove beneficial, for nothing will stop violations of the anti-trust law so readily as the imprisonment of those convicted for breaking the law.

This change in the anti-trust law and another change which the president suggests in the inter-state commerce law are among the most important recommendations he has made. Moreover, they are both in the line of sound public policy and the better enforcement of restrictive laws. When addressing himself to judicial questions the contrast between his stand and that of ex-President Roosevelt was very striking.

MR. AND MRS. W. K. VANDERBILT, JR., WHOSE SEPARATION IS ANNOUNCED

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The announcement that Mr. and Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., had finally decided to live apart caused no surprise in society circles in New York and Newport. Almost from the day of their marriage 10 years ago the Vanderbilts have had disagreements. Mrs. Vanderbilt was Miss Virginia Fair of California and there were many titled men seeking her hand when her engagement to "Willie K." Vanderbilt was announced. Incompatibility is given as the cause of the separation. Friends of both Mrs. Vanderbilt and her husband declare that every effort at reconciliation has failed and that the couple will live apart in future. They have three children.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

Rev. Harry E. Peabody, pastor of the Windsor avenue Congregational church at Hartford, Conn., Sunday announced his resignation. He has accepted a call to the South Congregational church in Chicago. Within the past ten years he has been especially active in crusade work against various resorts in Hartford. In his college days Mr. Peabody played full back on the Harvard football team for four years. He declined a call to the presidency of Pomona college, Claremont, Cal., to take the Chicago pulpit.

During the coming year three of the Brown faculty will be absent on their Sabbatic years: Professor Blanchard of the department of civil engineering, Professor Benedict of the department of English, and Mr. Archibald of the department of mathematics.

Home made jam is gradually disappearing from the 20th century European household. And yet 60 years ago George Sand, who treated most of her domestic duties somewhat lightly, was discovered by a visitor wearing a cotton dress and a big apron, and skimming a panful of fruit destined for the jampot. "It is not easy work," she remarked. "I find it harder to make good jam than to write 'Valentine' or 'Mauprat'; but there are some tasks one cannot leave to others."

A press clipping bureau has been installed at the vatican. Pius X reads only two newspapers, the Osservatore Romano, the official organ of the Holy See, and the Difesa, of Venice. All the other Italian newspapers are read by a young journalist, who cuts out all the news of interest and sends the clippings daily to Cardinal Merry del Val. The cardinal marks in blue pencil anything of importance which he considers that the pope ought to see and in turn sends the clippings of the day to the pope, who only reads what is marked by his secretary of state. A certain number of foreign newspapers are sent to the secretariate of state, where four clerks who know French, German, Spanish and English cut out important paragraphs relating to vatican news, translate them into Latin and send them to the pope. The clipping of foreign newspapers, however, is generally done by bishops, who send to Rome news of interest published in the newspapers of their dioceses.

All the clippings are bound separately, divided according to countries and sub-divided according to newspapers and carefully indexed for future reference. The most bulky books of recent clippings relate to Modernism and especially to Tyrrell and to Murri, the leader of the Italian Modernists.

Both the new academicians in Paris, Brieux and Prevost, are ready with new plays. Brieux, of course, is a dramatist by profession, and his piece is a comedy, "La Plus Forte," which is to be the first play of the new season at the Vaudeville. Meanwhile the Comedie-Francaise will revive his "Robe Rouge," and possibly undertake "La Foi," which Sir Herbert Tree, in any case, is soon to try in London. Prevost has seldom attempted the theatre and with slight success. This time he has drawn a play from his own recent novel, "Pierre et Therese." The Gymnase will have it.

Rev. Dr. John H. DeForest, a veteran Congregational minister at Sendai, Japan, has been decorated by the imperial government with the order of the Rising Sun.

Mrs. Martin J. Wessels of Spokane, Wash., is said to be one of the few artists, if not the only one, whose work is devoted exclusively to pictures of grain. Among her pictures are the frescoes in the rooms of the Spokane Chamber of Commerce, and the decorations on the walls of the Spokane building at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition. Mrs. Wessels is the wife of an artist, and it was her admiration of her husband's work that first led her to try her hand at making grain pictures.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

"The Girl Outcast" with Miss Enid Mayo in the leading role was the attraction at the Opera House last evening. The show is of a high order and although the company has been on the road but a few weeks this season all the members demonstrated that they are capable and were carefully rehearsed.

Miss Mayo is an actress of exceptional ability and her portrayal of "Ruth Holt," is of a high order. She has a sweet girlish personality and an artistic and emotional temperament.

The other members of the company are well adapted to the parts they assume and in all the performance last evening was one that should have been greeted by a larger attendance.

DAVID COPPERFIELD.

While every work by Charles Dickens is world famous, his "David Copperfield" stands out as his very best. The statement has been made that "Micawber," a name which has become world famous, is a picture of the characteristics of his own father. Every work that emanated from the pen of Charles Dickens shows that even in the humblest walks of life there is rugged honesty and true charity.

The dramatization of "David Copperfield," which will be under the management of Edward C. White, will therefore be a treat to those who have read and admired Dickens, and an enjoyment to those who have not perused the works of this great author. "David Copperfield" is a play which once seen is never forgotten, which recalls a host of pleasant memories.

This meritorious attraction comes to the Opera House tonight.

THE TRAVELING SALESMAN

A marked feature of James Forbes' comedy success, "The Traveling Salesman," which comes to the Opera House October 1 and 2, is the large number of laughable slang expressions entirely new to those who find much to interest them in the works of the celebrated slang authors of the day. Mr. Forbes as a creator of risible expressions sprang into prominence by reason of "The Chorus Lady" and has more than duplicated his first success with "The Traveling Salesman." The production ran an entire season at the Gaiety theatre in New York, four months at the Park theatre in Boston, and six months at the Illinois theatre in Chicago to crowded houses.

THE GAY HUSSARS

When Mr. Henry W. Savage's production of the dashing military operetta, "The Gay Hussars" is shown here at the Opera House, October 4, the ladies will have an opportunity to see the hat which already is the vogue in Paris and Vienna and which promises to be the fashion during the winter in New York. It is called the "Gay Hussars" turban and threatens to become as popular as the "Merry Widow" hat.

A BROKEN IDOL

Among the novelties contained in the merry musical farce, "A Broken

OTIS HARLAN

Idol" [illegible]

THE WHITESIDE-STRAUSS CO.

The Whiteside-Strauss company will open a four days' engagement at the Lowell Opera House, commencing on Monday, Sept. 27.

The individual members of the company are said to be thoroughly capable, and the six big specialties seen between the acts are of the highest order.

"The Johnson Sisters," America's foremost singers and dancers, "The Musical Lockwoods," high class musical artists, playing a variety of brass, reed and novelty instruments, new illustrated songs, Miss Maude Clement, the petite comedienne, moving pictures changed nightly, Miss Vivian Laidlaw in character songs, Burlette Bros., the greatest of all comedy acrobats, and Will S. Strauss, that funny fellow.

Ladies' tickets will be issued for Monday night only. Seats are now on sale.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

"Winning on Wind," one of the feature acts at Hathaway's theatre this week, is a perfect cyclone of fun. Lewis McCord, who used to appear here in his own sketch, "Her First Rehearsal," has the principal part in this sketch.

Yesco and Lyons, musicians, do their very pretty and effective little act, which holds some real gems of musical worth.

"A Piece of Dresden China," a typical English music hall comedy act, bristles with funnyisms. There are three persons in the company. Jere McAuliffe, who will be pleasantly remembered as a stock company star, gives his inimitable parodies. The Four Sullivans sing and dance well, and the Aldines have an acrobatic act which is good. McAdams and his talking dog "Spike" offer a novelty. The motion pictures are new.

THEATRE VOYONS

Today the Theatre Voyons is showing the Urban-Eclipse pictures of the International Aviation contests at Rheims, France. This picture is about twelve minutes long and it contains all the best portions of these contests. It shows Curtiss, Bleriot, Latham, Renand, Farman, Tissandier, Lambert, Paulan and several other aviators all in flight. The contests shown were for the world's championship and mark the establishment of many new records for flights. Not only are the machines shown in the air but close views are shown of them while starting so that the construction of the machine can be plainly seen. With the exception of the Wright brothers every noted aviator of the world is shown with his machine and shown so clearly that one can instantly recognize it even when three or four are pictured circling around in the air at once. No picture ever taken contains so much real interest to one who wishes to be up-to-date in all the world's progress as does this and one can learn more of flying machines by carefully watching it than by reading many pages of magazine description. It is a perfect picture, photographically clear and distinct in every portion and one that is entertaining and at the same time very instructive.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

The bill provided for the patrons of the Academy of Music this week maintains the high standard of that house. Jordan and Brennen are two important names on the program. Martyne and Hardy are down for an original sketch, featuring Mr. Martyne's lightning change from black face to white. Miss Claudia Bessette is singing "You're Just the Boy for me," with great success. Beautiful travellettes.

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Fall Soft Hats .... $1.50 to $5.00
Fall Shirts, new designs and colors ..... 50c to $3.00
Street Gloves, outseam cape .... $1.00 to $2.00
Fall Underwear .... 50c to $2.00
Fall Union Suits .... $1.50 to $3.00
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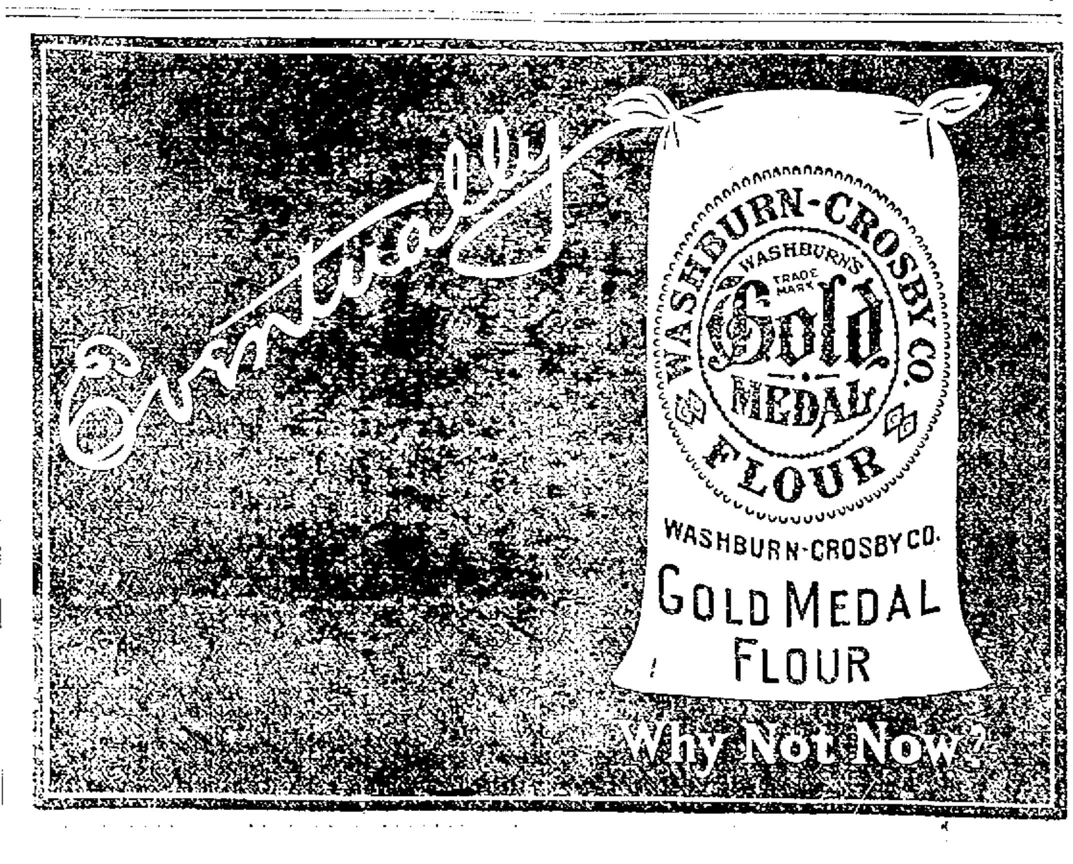

CHAIRMAN MacLEOD

Says Democracy Will Win in This State This Year

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—Political conditions are such this year that the democratic party can win, according to a statement made yesterday by Chairman Fred J. MacLeod of the democratic state committee.

"This," he said, "is the belief of conservative men—not of optimistic enthusiasts—but men who in the past have been in a position to forecast correctly the outcome of political campaigns and who have done so."

Chairman MacLeod said that there have been a number of conferences between himself and many of these men during the last few months, and that it is the general opinion of all that this is the democracy's year. Among others who are of this opinion, Chairman MacLeod mentioned Charles S. Hamlin, who is to preside over the state convention of the party in Faneuil hall next Thursday.

He stated that the object of the conferences was not to talk over the chances of party success, but to devise ways and means of placing the organization on a fighting basis.

"The outlook is more hopeful than it has been at any time since I have been connected with the state committee," he said. "There are men now working for harmony and organization who have not for years taken an active part in the campaign. The feeling of all is in favor of taking hold and putting the democracy back in the position it should occupy."

Chairman MacLeod stated also that there will be a candidate in the field for every elective office on the ballot in every district in the state. Steps to that end have already been taken, especially in the senatorial and representative districts, and the state committee, according to its chairman, is hopeful that the result will show an increased membership in both the senate and the house this year.

"A number of issues in this campaign are what might be called 'popular,' and on each of them the democracy has always declared favorably. I may cite especially the direct nomination issue and the tax on incomes. Both are to have a prominent place in the Faneuil hall platform, and on both the democracy has been on record for years. I have urged the democrats all over the state to put their strongest candidates in nomination for the senate and house, even in districts where it appears impossible for anyone but a republican to win. This will be urged even more strongly between now and the last date for filing nomination papers, and the state committee is exceedingly hopeful of the results."

He also said that the party was now engaged in the task of organizing county democratic clubs. Up to date only one of them has been formed, the Hampshire County club, of which Harry E. Bicknell of Chicopee is president, but within the next few days there will be similar organizations, he said, in Berkshire, Essex, and several other counties, while the work is to be carried on even after the election.

Chairman MacLeod said that the county clubs would be made up of numerous town and city organizations, with a central board of officers, and that any democrat in any county would be considered a member at any time he saw fit to take part in the work of the organization.

The object of the clubs, he said, would be to strengthen the democracy in the country towns, he believing that in the past the party had depended too much on the cities and paid too little attention to the voters in the rural districts.

The work of filling out the 974 credentials has been accomplished at state headquarters on Beacon street, and the documents have been mailed.

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CARS COLLIDED

Lowell Electric in Rear-End Crash

ARLINGTON, Sept. 24.—Two cars of the Boston elevated railway were in collision at Arlington Center, near Water street, shortly before 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. One person was slightly injured. This point is the terminus of the Arlington Center-Beacon street line of cars. Here, after shifting ends, they are switched off to a siding.

At the time of the accident a number of cars were outward bound, while directly behind the Beacon street car was a Lowell-bound car from Sullivan square. The Lowell car was stopped to let the shifting car get onto the siding.

As the Beacon street car got to the switch the rear trucks jumped the track. Before the car could be brought to a standstill the rear end crashed into the standing Lowell car.

John J. Mullen of 269 Main street, Charlestown, was on the end of the seat nearest the collision, and he claimed his side was hurt by the blow. He refused medical attendance and returned on the next in-bound car for Charlestown.

The Lowell car was not damaged to any extent, but the Beacon street car was badly smashed about the rear platform. Glass was broken, the step broken off and the dasher battered. The line was blocked for about 20 minutes.

THE MINISTERS

Caused Change in Pres. Taft's Program

SALT LAKE CITY, Sept. 24.—Tentative arrangements for the reception and entertainment of President Taft, who is scheduled to arrive in Salt Lake at 3 o'clock today have undergone some modifications. The original pdogram embraced an address by the president at the Mormon tabernacle and a review of school children of Salt Lake on the Sabbath day.

The Ministers association at Salt Lake immediately express its disapproval of this particular feature of the program in a formal resolution.

More recent arrangements will permit the president to rest Sunday forenoon at his hotel until 11 o'clock, at which time his special train is scheduled to leave for Ogden, Utah.

PACKING HOUSES

To be Inspected by the Japanese

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—With the arrival today of the Japanese commercial commissioners for a four days' stay in Chicago commercial and manufacturing organizations will endeavor to answer the question of the Mikado's commissioners: "Why does the United States furnish only 10 per cent. of Japanese import trade?"

The Japanese party consisting of 75 persons, including financiers, merchants, importers, railroad officers and their wives traveling in a special train has carefully scrutinized American business methods at principal points from Seattle to Milwaukee and will continue the investigation throughout the country.

The first industry to be investigated in Chicago will be the livestock and meat packing business at the union stock yards. Preparations have been made to show the Japanese everything of interest in and about Chicago.

BIG WARSHIPS

Arrive to Take Part in Celebration

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The German cruiser squadron composed of the Victoria Luise, Hertha, Bremen and Dresden, which will participate in the Hudson-Fulton ceremonies, arrived at New York today, reaching the quarantine station at 8.15 a. m. The British battleship Inflexible, under command of Admiral Sir Hobart Seymour, arrived off the Hook this morning and joined the three other British warships which have been awaiting her arrival since yesterday. The British ships remained at anchor off the Hook.

The American cruiser Montana arrived this morning to join the other American warships anchored in the Hudson river.

ONE MAN KILLED

Four Others Injured in Auto Accident

ROCKFORD, Ill., Sept. 24.—Charles Blodgett of Chicago, a traveling salesman, was killed, Albert Westerberg was fatally injured, and Oscar Johnson, Ernst Christiansen and Fred Dangtson were hurt last night when an automobile in which they were returning from Belvidere turned turtle.

NEGROES EXCITED

Think End of World Comes Today

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 24.—Negroes here are very much excited because of a report which seems to be generally current among them that the end of the world will come today. Last night many negroes gathered in their homes and at the churches making preparations for the "judgment." Where the report originated no one seems to know.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SKIN-TORTURED BABIES CURED

Humor Kept Tiny Girl's Face Sore for Months—Grew Worse in Spite of Doctor's Prescription—Screamed when Salves were Applied—Brother Suffered from Tetter.

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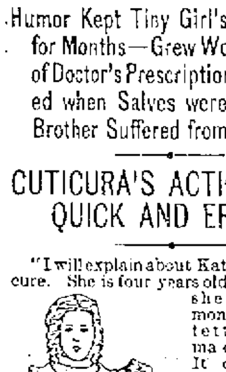
"I will explain about Kathryn Rishel's cure. She is four years old now. When



she was two months, she had tetter or eczema on her face. It commenced on her cheeks and kept spreading till it was almost all over her face. I had a doctor to treat it but it still kept getting worse. I tried many kinds of salve but it only got worse, and when I would grease her poor little face she would scream. I had to put the salve on and then start to walk till she would quiet down. I worried along in this way till she was over one year old. Then I thought I would try Cuticura, as I had used it for myself and it had helped me very much.

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CITY HALL NEWS

Committee on Claims Meets Tonight

The common council will meet in regular session next Tuesday evening. Although the meeting of the board of aldermen has not as yet been called, it was said at city hall this morning that a special meeting would be called for Monday morning.

Fire Department

The committee on fire department will make a tour of inspection next Thursday afternoon of all the fire houses in the city, and the evening session will be given over to the consideration of the new automobile apparatus in Warren street.

Committee on Claims

The committee on claims will meet in executive session this evening at 7.30 o'clock, in the office of the city solicitor, when it will finally decide what shall be done with the several petitions heard last night.

City Solicitor's Opinion

Late yesterday afternoon the city auditor received an opinion from the city solicitor to the effect that the board of police had the right under the statute to create an office within the scope of their duty and the mayor this morning received the same opinion.

Civil Service Examination

Today the city messenger was informed that the state civil service commission would hold an examination in the public hearing room at city hall, October 25th, for the purpose of filling vacancies in the department of steam boiler inspectors.

RIBS BROKEN

JOHN DEERING HURT AT THE CARPET MILLS

John Deering, residing at 55 Adams street, had several ribs fractured while at work at the Bigelow Carpet mill this morning. The ambulance was summoned and he was removed to the Lowell hospital where he received treatment.

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Batiste Waists—Made with square yoke and panel of Point Venise edged with German Val., tucked sleeves with deep cuff and lace collar ...98c

Figured Madras Waists—Tailor made with three rows of inch tucks on each side of pleat, tucked back to match, laundered collar and soft cuffs ...98c

Poplin Waists—Gibson style with nine fine tucks each side of pleat, pocket, plain back, laundered collar and soft tucked cuffs...98c

Silk Madras Waists—Tailored style with 3 one-inch tucks each side of pleat, tucked back, laundered collar and cuffs. Colors are stripes in blue and black, green and black and black and white on a white back ground...98c

SPECIAL SHOWING OF

Blankets and Comforters

All First Quality Goods Direct From the Best Makers

Bed Blankets

Cotton Wool Blankets—
11-4 size in white only...98c pair
12-4 size in white only...$1.19 pair
Beacon Blankets—11-4 size...$1.29 pair
11-4 Size Wool Blankets...$2.49 pair
11-4 Size Wool Blankets...$2.98 pair
11-4 Size Wool Blankets...$3.49 pair
11-4 Size Wool Blankets...$3.98 pair
11-4 Size Wool Blankets...$5.00 pair

Bath Robe Blankets

72x84 Inch Size Beacon Robes...$2.25
72x84 Inch Size Beacon Robes...$2.98
72x84 Inch Size Beacon Robes...$3.49
72x84 Inch Size Beacon Robes...$3.98
72x84 Inch Size Beacon Robes...$4.98

Crib Blankets

Beacon Crib Blankets—Full size...$1.00 pair

Comforters

Full Size Comforters ...89c
Full Size Comforters ...98c
Full Size Comforters—White filling...$1.25
Full Size Comforters—White filling...$1.49
Full Size Comforters—White filling...$1.75
Full Size Comforters—White filling...$1.98
Full Size Comforters—White filling...$2.49
Full Size Comforters—White filling...$2.98
Full Size Comforters—White filling...$3.50

Fruit Jars and Jelly Tumblers

Pint Mason Jars ...4c each
Quart Mason Jars ...5c each
2 Quart Mason Jars...6c each
Pint Lightning Jars...7c each
Quart Lightning Jars ...8c each
2 Quart Lightning Jars...10c each
Best Jelly Tumblers...2c each

The above jars are all first quality. We have the Lightning style with large tops as well as the regular.

English Earthen Tea Pots

With fancy decorations in handsome patterns, worth 80c to $1.25. Special price—any size ...69c

The "Bon Marche Special"

$2 Boot for Women

The new fall patterns are now in stock.

Button and lace in all the desirable leathers.

We have put extra value into this line and combining service with style are prepared to show the smartest boots we have seen at this price.

$2.00 A PAIR

WE CLOSE THURSDAYS AT 12.30 UNTIL OCTOBER 1st

TANNERY HEARING

Counsel for Am. Hide & Leather Co. Argued for Company

Lawyer McClennan Minimized the Odors on Howe Street and Said They Could be Eliminated in New Building on the Same Site—Expert Yocum Told About Beam Houses Elsewhere—Lawyer Burke Presented Petition of the Leather Workers' Union

A hearing on the tannery nuisance in Howe street was held before the board of health in the public hearing room at city hall last night. The hearing was continued from Monday morning, the petitioners for the abatement of the nuisance having been heard at that time. Last night the remonstrants were heard and the hearing closed.

The remonstrants did not succeed in proving that a nuisance does not exist in Howe street, but counsel for the company said that if allowed to rebuild, the American Hide & Leather Co. would erect a substantial beam house with modern appliances for the elimination of odors.

Edward M. McClennan, a Boston lawyer, appeared for the American Hide & Leather Co. and introduced one John H. Yocum, a beam house expert, who said that were a new beam house erected in Howe street and equipped with modern appliances for the elimination of odors, no offensive odor would be noticeable 10 feet from the building.

Close on the trail of this statement Mr. Yocum said there was less smell from the beam house in Howe street than from the majority of beam houses and less than from a beam house in a modern building at Peabody.

Mr. McClennan and Mr. Yocum scouted the idea of the Howe street odors being injurious to health. Mr. McClennan said that the public press had done the American Hide and Leather Co. an injustice by attempting to raise more of a smell in Howe street than was really necessary. Expert Yocum said that ninety per cent. of the odors came from the pickle, not from the hides. He admitted, however, that pigeon and chicken manure were used in the process of scouring the lime from the hides.

Lawyer Burke presented a formidable petition from the Leather Workers' union and Dennis Healey as president presented the reasons why the union

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AN ITCHING PALM

NO CURE FOR IT. OTHER FORMS OF ITCHING PREFERALBE

There is no cure for an itching palm [illegible]

GERMAN OFFICER

At the Hudson-Fulton Celebration

NEW YORK, Sept. [illegible]—Admiral von Koester [illegible] navy, [illegible] Hudson-Fulton celebration [illegible] the [illegible] officer of the international [illegible]

ADMIRAL VON KOESTER

fleet. This, however, will [illegible] by the British Admiral Sir [illegible] Seymour bears the title of [illegible] fleet, which [illegible] in Great Britain [illegible] Home [illegible] Grand [illegible] the [illegible]

Saturday, October 2 [illegible] is "quarter day" at the Lowell Five Cent Savings bank. Open [illegible] Deposit now.

THE TEACHERS

FOR THE EVENING SCHOOLS NOT NAMED YET

At the meeting of the school committee on evening schools last night there was an informal discussion as regards the opening of the evening schools and also as to the appointment of teachers to the same.

After the meeting Supt. Whitcomb said that there was no [illegible] of teachers, but that each [illegible] committeeman will present to the superintendent a list of names for his school, which list will be typewritten in time for presentation to the full board Tuesday night. According to the custom in former years, [illegible] will take place [illegible] before the opening of the schools.

As regards the principalship of the Evening High school, Mr. Wh[illegible] said last night that he had no official knowledge of any candidate for this position. Mr. Simpson of the sub-committee [illegible] it is [illegible] the superintendent [illegible] made [illegible]

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RADIANT HAIR

New York Society Women's Hair Matched Only by Parisians

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Come and view a grand assortment of new Fall Styles.

Special Advance Sale Now On

The Natty Styles Here Will Please You.

SPECIAL IN SUITS, $15.00

We ask you to match these Suits with those shown elsewhere at $20.00. In fine serge, satin lined, all colors.

$15.00

We carry a Stock of 1200 Suits

P. S.—As we are selling quantities of RAINCOATS, intending purchasers should not avoid a comparison of styles and prices with those shown everywhere. Special [illegible] $8.75 In poplin, cravenette and Sicilian. All [illegible] prices.

New Skirts New Coats New Waists

Hundreds of styles to show you. Fine Lawn Waists, 95c.

NEW YORK CLOAK and SUIT CO.
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Something New in Fuel

"BOULETS," made from Old Company's [illegible] Coal Screenings and pressed to uniform size.

Free From Slate, Clinkers and Waste

Burns freely; leaves nothing but [illegible] can be used for any domestic purpose.

COSTS LESS THAN COAL

Price $6.50 per ton. The public are cordially invited to call at our office and inspect the samples [illegible] hand.

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700 Broadway 4 Merrimack Square [illegible] Street

Lowell, Friday, September 24, 1909.

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NOW FILL THE STORE

And our showing is one to be proud of. Assortments were never more attractive or prices more worthy. We say we can serve you best—let us prove to you our ability to do so.

NEW SHIPMENTS OF WOMEN'S SUITS THAT HAVE ALREADY PROVED FAVORITES

If you would like to see a suit that does not look like an $18.50 suit, which, if you buy, your neighbor will think is worth much more, perhaps you will come in to see these splendid $18.50 suits freshly arrived this week. Hard Twisted Worsteds, Serges and Homespuns with a good satin lining and in several good colors. Yes, a long coat and pleated skirt—combination one is not apt to tire of.

A Few Homespun Suits—Regular value $22.50, Friday and Saturday sale price $18.50

THE HORIZON'S WHITE WITH WAISTS

You would not believe summer was over if you could see the shipments of White Waists coming in. The horizon is white with sails every day.

Plain Tailored Linens .... $1.50 to $2.98
Embroidered Linens .... $2.98 to $5.98
Tailored Madras—Striped .... 98c to $2.98
Lingerie Waists of Lawn and Batiste—Variously trimmed with lace and embroidery...... $1.98 to $7.50
Wash Flannel Waists—In assorted colors and stripes .... 98c to $3.98
Fancy Waists—Silk and Net Waists .... $2.98 to $15.00

AFTER ALL, RAINCOATS ARE THE BEST CLOTHES Friends to Girls and Women.

Many a rainy and snowy day will come and raincoats will then be the keys to unlock days of outdoor pleasure.

Cravenetted Raincoats are back again—far too useful to be without. Warmer than satin and so closely woven that they successfully help to bar winter breezes.

Silk Rubber Coats—Regular value $12.98 .... $10.50
Cravenetted Automobile Coats—Regular price $16.50 .... $13.50
Cravenetted Serge Storm Coats and Storm Capes—Regular value $20.00 .... $15.00

PETTICOAT LUXURY

Times have changed. The day of the "one silk petticoat" has gone with the arrival of $3.98 and $5.00 prices.

The woman who could only afford one may have two or three of different colors, to match her different suits, all desirable colors, in all the new shades $5.00
Extra Size Black Silk Petticoats $5.00

CLOAK DEPARTMENT SECOND FLOOR

NEW FALL MILLINERY

The latest and most desirable fashions are here at our usual much-under-the-regular prices.

Trimmed Hats—Large and small shapes. $4.98 to $5.98
Ready-to-Wear Hats $2.25
Silk, Satin and Moire Hats...... $1.98, $2.25, $2.98
Misses' College and Sailor Hats 98c
Untrimmed Sample Felt Hats......... 69c and 98c
Worth from $1.50 to $2.50 each.
Sample Line of Fancy Feathers... 25c to $1.25 each
One-half the regular price.

Palmer Street Centre Aisle

Choose From 2000 Pairs of Ruffled Muslin Curtains for 49 Cents

The Regular 75c and 98c Qualities.

We offer these in plain tucked with insertion and edged. See Merrimack street window.

East Section Second Floor

SPECIAL 100 Dozen Fine Lawn Tea Aprons With Ruffles and Pocket. Regular price 15c, 10c EACH

EAST SECTION CENTRE AISLE

NOW FOR THE PICKLING SEASON

Here we offer first quality stone jars with covers at the lowest prices ever quoted in Lowell. We [illegible] at the lowest factory price—and thereby secure the low carload freight rate. The [illegible]

Sizes	1 Gal.	2 Gal.	3 Gal.	4 Gal.	5 Gal.	6 Gal.	8 Gal.	10 Gal.	12 Gal.
Usual Price	25c	38c	50c	67c	87c	[illegible]	$1.49	$1.65	Without Cover
Sale Price	20c	30c	45c	55c	70c	85c	$1.10	$1.30	$1.50

FLOWER POTS AND SAUCERS

4 in.	5 in.	6 in.	7 in.	8 in.	9 in.	10 in.	12 in.
4c	5c	7c	10c	15c	20c	30c	50c

MERRIMACK STREET BASEMENT

BASEMENT BARGAIN DEPT.

Friday and Saturday Are Days of Good Values in This Department.

Boys' Fall Suits at low prices:

Boys' Two Piece Suits in dark and medium colors made with knickerbocker pants, for boys of 8 to 17 years, $3 suit at $1.98 suit.

Boys' Russian Suits with sailor collars and military collars, made of good material and nicely trimmed $2.50 value at $1.98 a suit.

Boys' Double Breasted Suits, made of good wool material and worsted, all new patterns in dark and medium colors made with knickerbocker pants, for boys of 8 to 17 years, $4 value at $2.98 a suit.

Russian Suits for boys of 2½ to 8 years, made in very latest designs, nicely trimmed, worsted, serges and Scotch mixtures, $4 suit at $2.98 a suit.

We have a large assortment of better suits, Two Piece Russian and Sailor, made of the very best material, well made and nicely trimmed, knickerbocker pants, suits sold in clothing stores from $5 to $7.50, at $3.98 and $4.98 a suit.

Boys' Knickerbocker Pants, made of good blue and black cheviot and fancy mixtures, pants cut full and well made, 69c value, at 50 pair.

Boys' Knickerbocker Pants, made of good worsted and wool mixture and cheviots, $1.00 value, at 75c pair.

BLANKETS AND COMFORTERS At Low Prices for the Next Two Days.

We have the most complete stock of Cotton Blankets in New England. Our prices are low for good standard size:

Full 10-4 Cotton Blankets, gray, white and tan, good warm blankets, with fast color borders, 59c value, at 55c pair.

11-4 Size, white and gray, 75c value, at 69c pair.

11-4 Size, white and gray, 89c value at 79c pair.

11-4 Size, white and gray, $1.00 value, at 89c pair.

11-4 Size, white and gray, $1.25 value at $1.00 pair.

12-4 Size, white and gray, $1.59 value, at $1.39 pair.

Wool Finish Blankets—Bay State quality. The best wool finished blankets made:

Full 11-4 size, worth $1.59, at $1.30 pair.

Full 11-4 size, worth $2.00, at $1.50 pair.

Full 11-4 size, worth $2.50, at $2.00 pair.

Full 12-4 extra size, worth $2.50, at $2.00 pair.

Full 12-4 extra size, worth $3.00, at $2.25 pair.

COMFORTERS.

Our Bed Comforters are made of good covering and filled with clean white sanitary batting and you will not find that unpleasant odor in our comforters, as they are made expressly for us and nothing but best materials are used.

Single Bed Comforters, $1.00 value at 75c.

Large Bed Comforters, $1.25 value at $1.00.

For Double Bed Comforters, $1.50 value, at $1.25.

For Double Bed Comforters, $2.00 value, at $1.50.

Extra Size Comforters, $2.00 value at $1.50.

Extra Size Comforters, $2.50 value at $2.00.

Extra Size Comforters, $3.00 value at $2.50.

For two days only, Feather Bed Pillows, made of good chicken feathers, best ticking covering, worth $1.50 a pair, at $1.25 pair.

MEN'S BARGAIN DEPARTMENT (Basement.)

Men's Derby Hats, black and brown, latest shapes, samples of high priced hats, worth $2.00 to $3.50, at $1.30 each.

Men's Soft Hats, in all the latest shapes, in black, brown and green:

$2.00 hats at $1.39 each.
$2.50 hats at $1.79 each.
$1.50 hats at 98c each.

Men's Fall Caps, made of the newest cloth, Scotch mixtures and worsted, in the latest shapes:

50c caps at 38c each.
75c caps at 45c each.

Boys' Eton Caps, velvet, leather, covert and fancy mixtures:

25c value at 15c.
39c value at 25c.

MEN'S, BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S SWEATERS.

Just opened, our new line of sweaters, and we are offering extra good value in medium priced Sweaters:

Men's, Boys' and Children's Sweaters at 50c, worth 75c.

Men's, Boys' and Children's Sweaters at 75c, worth $1.00.

Men's, Boys' and Children's Sweaters at $1.00, worth $1.25.

Jersey Ribbed Underwear, ecru, made of good combed yarn, shirts and drawers, all sizes, 50c value, at 35c each.

Men's Merino Hose, black, oxford, natural and blue, 15c value, at 10c pair.

Boys' Braces, made of good elastic web, mohair ends, 10c value, at 8c pair.

BAGS

Nine inch gilt frame, strap handle, moire lined, inside purse, in navy blue, red, black and brown leather. Regular price $1 only 50c each.

BELTS

To make room for our fall goods we shall close out one lot of assorted belts for 10c each. Regular price 50c.

BAR PINS

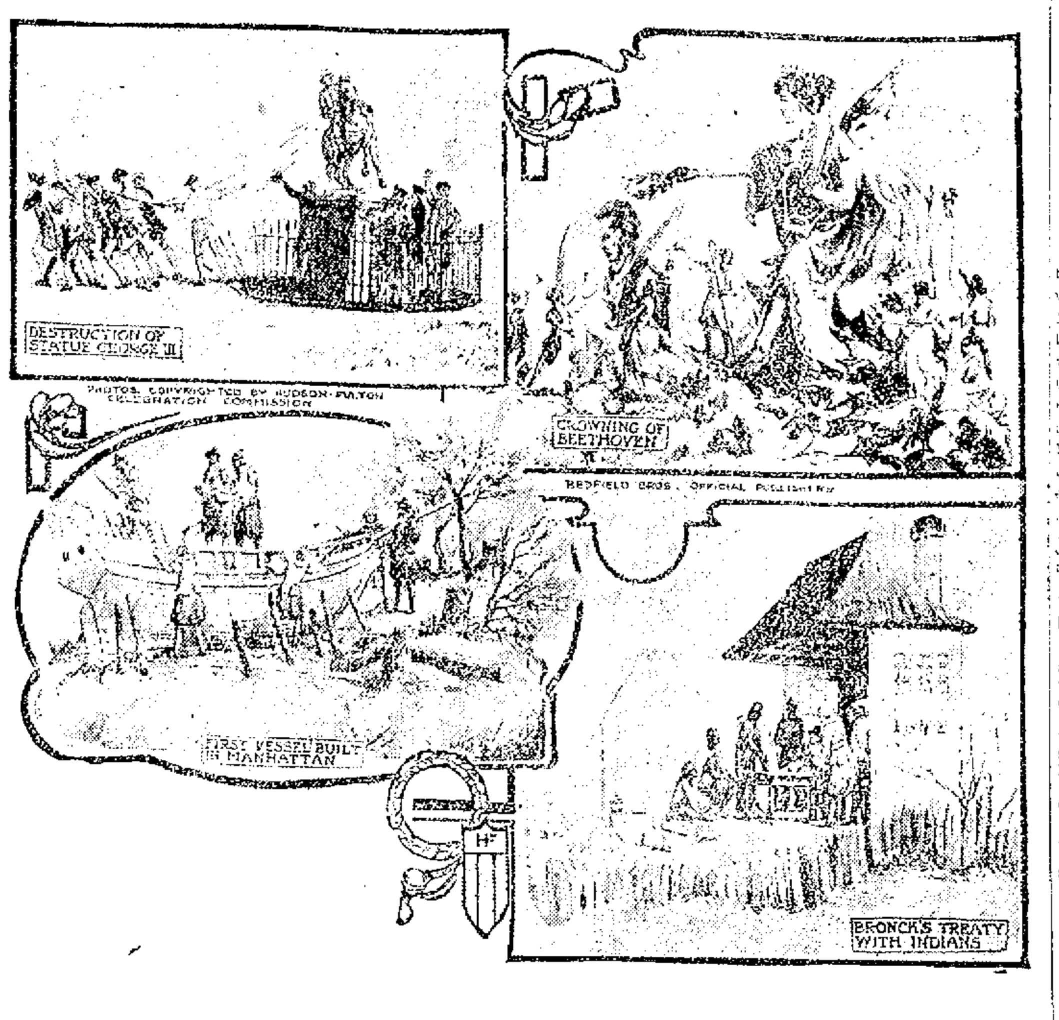
One lot of gilt, oxidized and green gold finished pins. The latest pins for Maline bows. 10c each. Regular prices 25c and 50c.

PERFUME

Jockey Club and Indian Hay, some of our best extracts. Regular price 65c and 75c oz. Special sale price 25c oz.

West Section Right Aisle

SOME OF THE FLOATS TO BE SEEN IN NEW YORK'S BIG CARNIVAL PARADE



NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The historical pageant to be held in New York on Sept. 28 will be the first of the kind seen in the metropolis in many years. It will also eclipse any float parade so far undertaken in the United States. On Oct. 2 the big carnival parade will take place. It will comprise 50 floats, photographs of some of which are reproduced herewith. A great force of artists has been busy for more than a year preparing these floats, and they are the most gorgeous things imaginable. Forty bands have been engaged to furnish the music for the carnival parade. No band will have fewer than 25 pieces, and some will have as many as 50. More than 25,000 persons will participate in the moving tableaux which will form a part of the pageant.

END OF WORLD

Is Awaited by the "Faithful" at West Duxbury

WEST DUXBURY, Mass., Sept. 24.—Their faith apparently undampened by the torrential rain which fell intermittently during the night, the three hundred and more members of the "Latter reign of the apostolic church" or Triune Immersionists as they prefer to be called, awaited with prayer and song and with arms outstretched and eyes scanning the sky for a sign, the destruction and purification of the world by fire which they believed would come at 10 o'clock this forenoon. The little white wooden chapel at Ashdod, on the main turnpike between Boston and Plymouth, was crowded throughout the night by the faithful, but the services were strangely calm compared with those which have been in progress during the past few days. In the early hours today the believers engaged in quiet prayer and awaited with undiminished faith the expected cataclysm.

According to their belief based partly upon prophesies in the old testament and partly on divine revelation which some of them claim to have received, the top crust of the earth is to be peeled off in a great flame, the sinful burned in everlasting fire while the faithful will be purified and dwell on the earth eternally.

Those participating in the meeting have come from every section of New England, the Rhode Island cities, Springfield, Mass., and Waterville, Me., being especially well represented while others have journeyed from as far as Virginia to be at Ashdod when the final trumpet shall sound.

Throughout the meetings almost unprecedented enthusiasm and fervor have been manifested and some among the number have been so overcome by their emotions as to lapse into a cataleptic state while the believers surround the person thus affected and with prayer and exhortation call upon the evil spirits to cease tormenting the afflicted soul.

Although the rain came down in torrents during the night the triune immersionists managed to keep pretty dry. Most of them spent the night at the chapel but some, wearied by the intensity of the services during the past few days slept under the protection of [illegible] and a few neighboring [illegible]. The majority of the denomination expressed confidence that the end would come at the appointed hour, 10 o'clock, while others said that if the purification did not occur at that exact time it would not be delayed more than a day or two. Despite the fact that everything would be changed after the cataclysm and material things would be of no value in the hereafter the contribution box was passed frequently during the services and the believers contributed liberally.

As the appointed time drew near the believers filled the chapel and devoted their energies to the singing of hymns. Shortly before 10 o'clock the skies darkened a portentous manner and those who had been watching for a sign appeared convinced that the millenium was at hand. One hymn followed another as the believers waited for the final purification. Ten o'clock came, but the sky brightened and the millenium in the opinion of the believers was apparently postponed for a brief period of time.

It was explained later that a revelation which was made to one of their number last night indicated that the world would not be destroyed until some time during the 24 hours beginning at 6 o'clock this evening. The faithful still continued confident that their prophecies would be fulfilled, and they spent the remainder of the forenoon in singing hymns of praise.

BUTTE MINERS

REFUSED TO GO TO WORK TODAY

BUTTE, Mont., Sept. 24.—Eighty per cent. of the Butte miners refused to go to work today on account of the dispute between the miners and engineers' union. This amounts practically to a shut down.

CONTESTING WILL

Woman Says Her 94-Year-Old Sister Was Unduly Influenced

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—Alleging that Lillian M. Nelson of 20 Mellen street, Dorchester, exerted undue influence over the late Anna L. Shaw, who died at the age of 94 as a result of a broken hip, Maria S. Eayres, a widowed sister, herself over 80 years of age, is contesting the will which leaves the Nelson woman nearly three-quarters of the estate.

The fourth day of the trial yesterday before Judge Braley and a jury in the supreme judicial court developed the facts that there was an agreement between Mrs. Nelson and Miss Anna L. Shaw that the former should care for an aged sister, Sarah E. Shaw, [illegible] as long as she lived in consideration of the bequest to Mrs. Nelson, and that Sarah Shaw, whose legacy was to revert to Mrs. Nelson and her husband, [illegible] Nelson, [illegible] 10 days after the [illegible] of the will.

[illegible] Boston as long as sister Sarah E. Shaw lives."

A few days later, when Miss Shaw was taken from the City hospital to her home at 5 Waldorf street, Dorchester, she was greeted by her sister Sarah, who hurried from the house to kiss her sister who lay upon a stretcher. Sarah Shaw fell and broke her hip. She was immediately taken to the City hospital and placed in the [illegible] bed where Anna L. Shaw had [illegible]. About two weeks later Sarah Shaw [illegible] strangely enough, Judge Shaw, father of the deceased, also died as the result of a broken hip.

According to the testimony, Dr. [illegible], one of the house physicians at the City hospital at the time of the illness of Miss [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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[illegible] made contrary to the provisions of the law.

LOOKS LIKE WAR

Spain and Morocco are Likely to Clash

MADRID, Sept. 24.—It is generally believed here that the complications which have arisen between Spain and Mulai Hafid, the sultan of Morocco, are likely to result in a Spanish-Moroccan war. Spain today has more than 60,000 troops in northern Africa with 11,000 more mobilizing for service there and the government feels that only the brilliant completion of the work begun can defeat the plans of its political enemies at home. The situation at Barcelona is causing renewed anxiety. Bomb explosions in the streets of Barcelona are almost of daily occurrence and although the newspapers [illegible] print even the rumors of such occurrences are seized by the authorities the minister of the interior insists that the government is not fighting its political enemies, but rather a widespread anarchistic plot.

"The charge that we closed the lay schools without reason is false," an official said today. "The schools were closed because of the preaching of anarchist doctrines against religion and social order that could not be tolerated by any government. When the time comes we will vindicate ourselves before the courts."

PHYSICIANS ARE NATURALLY PREJUDICED

against proprietary or advertised medicines, as the sale of these remedies decreases their incomes.

However, this may be, the general public is benefited by the use of such standard medicines as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, with its wonderful record of thousands of cures among suffering women. We are very glad to say, however, that there are hundreds of honest physicians in the United States who do not hesitate to recommend such medicines.

WON A GRAPHAPHONE

A fine graphaphone was disposed of by lot last evening at the home of Mrs. Vitaline De Ford of 242 High street. Mrs. James Neeland drew the prize and received the congratulations of the party. An enjoyable hour was spent in social pleasantreis before party dispersed.

NOT GUILTY

MEN WERE ACCUSED OF SHOOTING PRIVATE COULTER

ATLANTA Ga., Sept. 24.—It was announced yesterday that the general courtmartial recently held at Fort McPherson had returned a verdict of acquittal in the case of W. I. Hazelhurst and Private Elam of the 17th infantry, U. S. A. charged with killing Private Edward Coulter of the same regiment. Coulter was shot and instantly killed by Private Elam who was a member of an arresting squad sent to quell a disturbance in a saloon near the fort. Lieut. Hazelhurst was in command of the squad.

MONEY TO LOAN

NOTES OF SALARIED PEOPLE and others also housekeepers, bought without security, easy payments. Offices in 66 principal cities. Don't be deceived by misleading advertisements, investigate actual terms of others then save money by trading here. D. H. Tolman, Room 48, 45 Merrimack St.

Is Your Blood Pure?

Does your head feel heavy and ache? your throat dry, nose stopped up and hot, no appetite, little chilly feelings creeping along the spine, hands hot, feet cold, tongue furred, eyes burn, you feel sick all over? Ever felt this way before?

You are bilious. Nip it in the bud; do the right thing first. Promptness will work wonders. Start using Smith's Pineapple and Butternut Pills, take two to four at bedtime. You won't need any more; they will cure you in a night. Don't wait till you get down on your back, then it will take longer, but, even then, these pills will work wonders. They promote the harmonious action of the stomach, liver and bowels.

Get a bottle of your dealer today and take them home with you and use them when you experience any departure whatever from a healthy standard. They will make your blood rich, red, pure. Physicians use and recommend. They form no habit. You should always keep them on hand. These little Vegetable Pills will ward off many ills.

To Cure Constipation Biliousness and Sick Headache in a Night, use

SMITH'S PINEAPPLE AND BUTTERNUT PILLS. For Constipation, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headaches, Diseases of the Stomach, Liver and Bowels. NATURE'S LAXATIVE PRICE 25¢

60 Pills in Glass Vial 25c.—All Dealers.

SMITH'S BUCHU LITHIA KIDNEY PILLS For Sick Kidneys. Bladder Diseases, Rheumatism, the one best remedy. Reliable, endorsed by leading physicians; safe, effectual. Results lasting. On the market 18 years. Have cured thousands. 100 pills in original glass package, 50 cents. Trial boxes, 50 pills, 25 cents. All druggists sell and recommend.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Albert Willett, late of Littleton, in said County of Middlesex, deceased.

Whereas, Victor H. I. Belle Isle, the administrator of the estate of said deceased has presented to said Court, his petition praying that he may be authorized to adjust by compromise or submit to arbitration, a claim in favor of said estate against one Ervin E. Smith, of said Littleton, upon terms therein set forth.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighth day of October, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you fourteen days, at least, before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of September, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

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This is a pretty broad statement but a call at our office will convince you of the truth of our statements. We are not disparaging other concerns in this line but we know that the

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40 CENTRAL STREET

AUTO ENDURANCE RUN

STOCKBRIDGE, Sept. 24.—Some 50 or more automobiles either participating or accompanying the participants in the Munsey automobile run from Washington to Boston and return passed through here today on the last stage of the first half of the run [illegible] Albany to Boston. [illegible] town at 9 o'clock and the [illegible] expected that the automobiles [illegible] Springfield about [illegible]

BUSINESS CHANCE

$25 PER WEEK [illegible]

MISCELLANEOUS

KASSMAN'S HAIR VIGORINE, tonic and hair grower, a [illegible] stamps free.

CELLAR CEMENTING, sewer connections of any kind done by experienced men at reasonable figures. Estimates given. Best of references. Patrick J. Morris, 141 Ludlam st.

DRINK GLORIA for health, sold everywhere.

LIMBURG, chimney expert. Chimneys swept and repaired. Residence, 11 Bridge st. Tel. 945.

MOTHERS—Bent's Destroyer kills lice on children, and all insects, cures dandruff and itching scalp, prevents falling hair; harmless. For sale at Falls & Burkinshaw's 418 Middlesex st.

LAWN MOWERS SHARPENED badges and door plates made to order at Harry Gonzales, 128 Gorham st. Tel. 952-2.

SPECIAL NOTICES

KATHERINE F. McKEON, [illegible] to your home, 35 East Merrimack st.

PLANET SOLE ROUNDER wanted, also a [illegible] sole moulder [illegible] [illegible] men to heel and [illegible] Apply Lowell Shoe Co. [illegible]

A SHINGLER wanted. Inquire [illegible] Norwich st. in forenoon or evening.

DON'T BUY A PIANO until you have first obtained W. F. Trumbull's figures. He will guarantee to save you not less than $50.00. 161 Westford St.

BOARD AND ROOM can be had at 31 St. James street, City.

NOONEN'S HAIR STAIN, Black Brown, 25c, 50c, Dows', Osgood's, Opera Pharmacy, Noonan's, Centralville and Lowell Pharmacy.

THE TAILOR'S RULE made easy for dressmakers. Taught by M. J. Greaves, former principal of Lowell Dress Cutting school, Parkview house, 182 East Merrimack street. All kinds of repairing. Day or evening classes. Paris fashions cut and fitted.

CELLAR CEMENTING, sewer connections of any kind done by experienced men at reasonable figures. Estimates given. Best of references. Patrick J. Morris, 141 Ludlam street.

ROOMS PAPERED for $1.75. We will paper your room with neat up-to-date wall paper for $1.75. Send postal for samples. H. J. McCarthy, 611 Broadway.

FURNITURE MOVING—Hugh McOsgan, furniture and piano mover, also dealer in wood and coal. Office 720 Broadway. Telephone 747; residence 34 Chestnut street.

JOHN J. HAYDEN, whitewashing, painting; rooms papered $1.75. 22 Cady st.

MATERNITY NURSE, Mary A. Mulholland, 651 Gorham st., Davis sq.

WILL PAY THE HIGHEST PRICES for old fashioned furniture and feather beds. Send postal to P. Weiner Co., Gen. Delivery, P. O., Lowell, Mass.

FISHERMEN take notice, fresh picked worms for sale at Harry Gonzales, 128 Gorham st. Telephone 952-2.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

WANTED

SECOND HAND COOKING RANGE wanted. Must be in good condition. Address T. N. V. Sun Office.

WOMAN WOULD LIKE TO GO AS PARTNER in a good paying business. Address D. Sun Office.

BOOKS, LIBRARIES, also Medal, Magnet, Eagle, Flucks, Fame; paper covers. Merritt's Book Store, 277 Middlesex.

ROOMERS AND BOARDERS, wanted in excellent house. All home cooking, steam heated rooms and modern conveniences. Mrs. Nettie Saunders 35 Gates street.

OLD FEATHER BEDS wanted. Guarantee to pay double the amount of any other dealer. Also old-fashioned furniture. Send orders to L. David, Gen Delivery, Lowell.

I PAY THE HIGHEST PRICE in cash for any kind of second hand furniture. Call or send postal, W. Fox, 636 Middlesex st.

OLD FEATHER BEDS wanted. Guarantee to pay double the amount of any other dealer. Also old fashioned furniture. Send orders to L. David, Gen Delivery, Lowell.

HELP WANTED

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE—Help of all kinds wanted and furnished; situation wanted. Miss Bastow, 170 [illegible] St.

TWO TREERS AND PACKER wanted. Apply A. C. Stern, 186 [illegible]

EXPERIENCED CANVASSER wanted; must be well dressed and of good [illegible] Nothing to sell [illegible] Apply [illegible] Room 19, 153 Merrimack St.

FOUR FIRST CLASS CARPENTERS wanted [illegible] 12 Pilford St. [illegible] Mass.

EXPERIENCED WOOD BOX MAKERS wanted at Charles [illegible] Co., 339 Tanner street, [illegible]

BUTTER ON BOYS SHOES wanted. Apply [illegible]

WE HAVE AN OPENING FOR A YOUNG MAN [illegible]

GIRLS wanted [illegible] Lowell, Mass.

GENERAL HOUSEGIRL [illegible]

CHAUFFEUR 23 YEARS [illegible]

A [illegible] [illegible] Lowell, Mass.

MACHINE PIN GRINDER [illegible]

WANTED

Twister and Reeler Tenders. Shaw Stocking Co., Lowell, Mass.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

TO LET

12-ROOM HOUSE to let, bath, [illegible] connections, at 262 Fayette st. Inquire at 281 Concord st.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, steam heat, bath. The Columbia, 179 Middlesex st.

GOOD FIVE ROOM TENEMENT to let, near the mills, just put in best of repair. $6.50 per month. Three rooms $5 or two rooms, $1.50. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

ONE-HALF DOUBLE HOUSE to let, [illegible] rooms, bath, hot and cold water, $11.00. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

STEAM HEATED ROOM to let $1.25, [illegible] front room suitable for two, [illegible]

LODGING HOUSE, 706 MIDDLESEX st. [illegible] rooms to let, [illegible] hot and cold water, with [illegible] E. Saunders, proprietor.

6-ROOM MIDDLE FLAT to let. All [illegible] improvements with bath and [illegible] Inquire [illegible] 18 Mead St.

HOUSE OF 7 ROOMS AND BARN to let [illegible] England St.

UPSTAIRS TENEMENT to let. Six rooms with all modern improvements. [illegible]

TENEMENT ON STACKPOLE ST. to let [illegible] George Fairburn, Merrimack [illegible]

NEW AND REMODELED TENEMENTS to let at 355 Lawrence street, Apply 129 Church street.

MODERN FOUR AND SIX ROOM TENEMENTS to let at 112 Moody St. All new. Telephone [illegible]

5-ROOM TENEMENT to let. No. 15 [illegible] st. Rent $10 a month. Apply [illegible] Merrimack street, Lowell, Mass.

COTTAGE to let at Adams ave., Pawtucketville, price $8 per month. Key next cottage. William A. Reed, 125 Liberty st.

FURNISHED ROOM to let 89 Twelfth st. Board if desired.

UP-TO-DATE TENEMENT of 7 rooms [illegible] floor, at 19 Lombard st. to let. Bath, pantry, hot and cold water. Apply [illegible] ave., or 2 Thorndike st.

TWO TENEMENTS of 5 rooms, at 21 and 27 Stackpole st., to let. Rent $13 for each tenement. Apply 25 Adams st. Tel. 1595.

MODERN HOUSE of 8 rooms to let with every up-to-date convenience; large yard, fruit and shade trees, and small barn. Inquire 526 Rogers st.

APARTMENT OF 6 ROOMS with modern improvements, to let. The Bellevue, 157 Stackpole st. C. A. Roberts.

NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS to let. Gentlemen preferred. Next to the Whistler house, 259 Worthen st. Meals if desired.

5-ROOM TENEMENT at 42 Barclay st. to let. Rent $9 a month. Apply Phillips & Schutz Furniture Co., 332 Middlesex st.

MODERN TENEMENT 5 rooms to let, pantry, bath, furnace, fine yard, shade and fruit trees, door and window screens, 10 minutes to P. O. Everything O. K. [illegible] Smith [illegible] Tel. 2329-3 before 9 a. m.

STORE TO LET with tenement of [illegible] rooms connecting, at 34 North st. Rent reasonable. Apply at 23 North st.

TWO SMALL STORES to let, Nos. 534 and 536 Gorham st., at railroad bridge; rent $7 each per month. Will fix them up to suit tenant. Inquire at 937 Gorham st.

NEW 4 AND 5 ROOM FLATS to let on Elm St., $6 and $7 per month. Inquire Jos. Flynn, 50 Elm st., or Flynn's market.

FURNISHED or UNFURNISHED rooms to let for light housekeeping. Steam heat, electric light. 75 East Merrimack st.

STORE TO LET cor. Broadway and Willie st. Inquire O'Brien's drug store.

LOST AND FOUND

A VALUABLE PAIR OF GOLD BOW EYEGLASSES lost Sept. 23. Finder will be given reward for return to Dr. [illegible] Clifford, 99 Westford St.

STRAP AND WEIGHT lost, on Mt. Hope St., Tuesday, Sept. 14, 1909. Return to 84 Middlesex St.

GOLD CHAIN AND CHARM lost, near shaped nugget. Reward, C. A. Spencer, 28 Middle St.

RUBBER COAT lost, Wednesday evening between Westford and North Chelmsford, reward at Lowell Taxicab Co.

TAVERN WATCH lost. Dark steel case, with a Taft fob. Finder will please return same to B. Kahan, 1011 Gorham St., and receive reward.

SUM OF MONEY lost, last week, between Agawam and Central streets by way of Lawrence, Swift and Whipple streets. Reward at 50 Agawam street.

SUM OF MONEY found [illegible] [illegible] can have same by describing property and paying for advertisement. Appointment can be made with finder by addressing T. D. Sun Office.

GOLD CROSS AND CHAIN lost Friday, Sept. 17, either in Theatre La Scala or St. Peter's church, or on Gorham st. Reward if returned to 17 Burns st.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

HOME BUYERS should look over my large list of two tenements, cottages, and investment properties in all sections of city and suburbs. Many excellent trades. Some easy payments. Open Saturday and Monday evenings. M. J. [illegible], Insurance and Real Estate, 22 Central St. Tel. [illegible]

TWO HOUSES IN CENTRALVILLE for sale, one three, the other four, tenements. Both in good repair and paying. Few minutes' walk from Merrimack square. Apply to E. C. Hope, 360 Westford street, Lowell.

FOR SALE

POOL AND BILLIARD TABLES for [illegible] good condition. Inquire D. [illegible] Andover.

FURNITURE for sale, bureaus, commodes, [illegible] beds, stoves and [illegible] Call at 55 North St.

HORSE, BUGGY AND HARNESS, for [illegible] Stedman St., [illegible]

FOUR YOUNG SOUND HORSES for sale. Weigh from 900 to 1200 pounds. [illegible] Franklin street.

UPRIGHT PIANO for sale. Fine make, fine condition, used but little. Will sell cheap. Mrs. P. Bouchette, 16 16th St.

BAKERY for sale in an excellent [illegible] a first class business [illegible] stock of bakers' supplies [illegible] for selling, the owner is [illegible] Baker, Sun [illegible]

HALLET & DAVIS SQUARE PIANO, for sale [illegible] Inquire at 234 [illegible] st.

FOR SALE
Former Residence of Mrs. Bansom Reed,
61 NESMITH STREET,
Opposite the Park
[illegible] rooms, bath, [illegible] hardwood floors, and [illegible] improvements. Excellent [illegible] Apply to
HENRY MILLER & SON,
7 Merrimack Street

A THOUSAND CORDS OF WOOD of all kinds for sale. Prompt delivery. Wholesale or retail. Tel. 1323. A. A. Brown, 73 Inland st.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.46	6.50	6.25	7.26
a8.27	7.41	7.53	8.55
b6.44	7.53	8.15	9.01
6.49	7.30	9.00	9.39
7.01	8.00	9.15	9.52
7.23	8.05	10.00	10.37
s7.31	8.50	b10.21	11.34
7.44	8.35	11.30	12.07
8.48	9.25	12.00	12.66
5.56	6.35	1.00	1.37
b8.27	10.35	1.15	1.52
9.32	10.10	2.00	3.04
10.45	11.40	3.00	3.37
11.38	12.20	3.44	4.21
12.12	1.00	b3.51	5.02
1.45	2.30	s4.14	5.36
2.41	3.33	5.00	5.37
3.37	4.40	b5.21	6.23
4.09	4.50	5.33	6.25
4.28	5.30	b5.51	7.05
5.25	6.35	s6.14	7.36
Dr. 10	7.15	7.30	8.08
6.28	7.15	8.30	9.08
7.36	8.20	10.30	11.34
8.21	9.10	11.00	11.54
10.00	10.55	11.20	12.16

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.46	7.55	z7.00	8.10
8.04	8.55	7.30	8.52
9.30	10.44	9.24	10.55
10.50	11.55	10.55	11.52
12.05	1.10	11.50	12.54
z1.30	2.35	2.14	3.21
3.10	4.14	3.30	4.30
4.25	5.55	4.59	5.58
5.06	6.09	6.03	7.05
7.00	8.00	6.33	7.45
9.35	10.58	9.35	10.34
		*11.35	12.21

*Runs to Lowell Saturdays only.
a Via Lawrence Junction.
b Via Bedford.
s Via Salem Jct.
z Via Wilmington Junction.

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.50	8.00	9.08
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
3.50	5.05	2.14	3.25
5.45	7.00	5.30	6.4.
8.30	10.02	5.20	6.38
		8.40	9.42

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.40	7.30	9.00	10.00
7.22	8.05	10.00	10.37
8.00	8.40	11.30	12.07
8.48	9.45	1.00	1.37
9.20	10.15	5.00	6.02
10.30	11.33	7.30	8.05
2.25	3.27	8.30	9.08
5.10	6.00	9.00	10.02
6.28	7.10	10.14	10.51
7.36	8.26	11.20	11.35

LOCAL NEWS

Commercial Printery, Tobin's.

Undertaker Finnegan, Davis St. Tel.

Kittredge's orchestra, Prescott hall, Saturday night.

Order your coal now at Mullin's, 563 Gorham street. Best coal in the city.

Dr. Clifford wishes to notify his customers that he has returned and is again ready for business at 99 Westford St.

Teeth extracted and filled without pain by the Obtundine system of painless dentistry. Dr. Gagnon, 466 Merr'k st.

The Thompson Hardware Co. is giving a demonstration of its famous Ideal Food Cutter. The price is only 95c. Every household should have one.

George H. Wood's clock advertisement cut from The Sun of yesterday is worth 51 cents. He takes this method of advertising to call attention to his clock bargains for the week. No jewelry house in this city carries a larger line of clocks than George H. Wood. Low prices are quoted for a few days to reduce the stock.

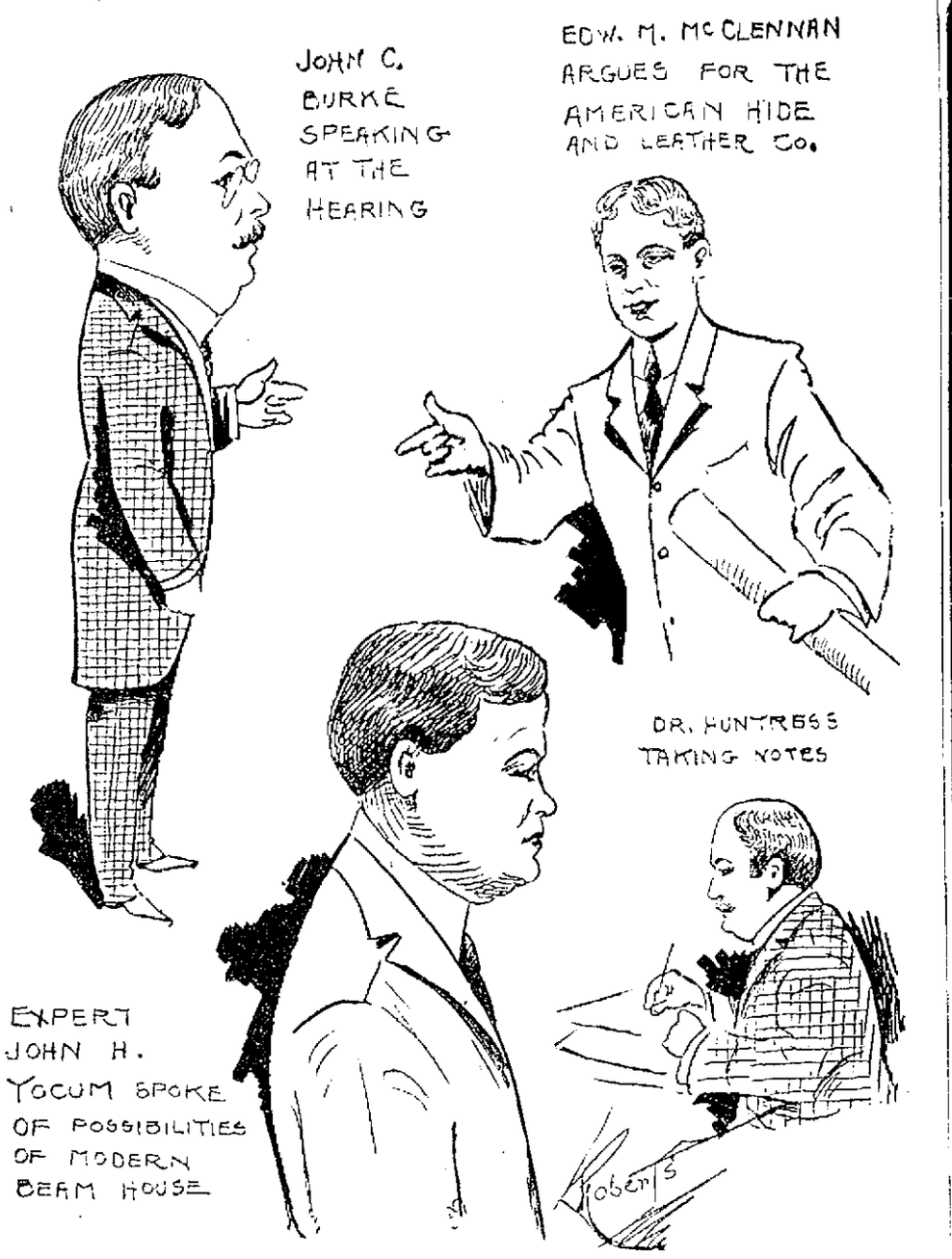
Money deposited in the Lowell Five Cent Savings bank on or before Saturday, October 2, 1909, begins to draw interest from that date.

GOV. JOHNSON BURIED

ST. PETER, Minn., Sept. 24.—The body of Gov. John A. Johnson was buried in the family lot in Green Hills cemetery here yesterday afternoon in a grave adjoining that of his mother. The body was brought here from St. Paul. The funeral cortege, escorted by state militia and representatives of state and civic organizations, proceeded to the Presbyterian church, where the body lay in state and was viewed by hundreds of citizens of St. Peter before the religious services were held.

The funeral was attended by many distinguished men from Minnesota and other states.

Brief services were held at the cemetery and the local company of national guard fired a salute as the casket was lowered into the grave.



SKETCHES AT THE TANNERY HEARING LAST NIGHT

TANNERY HEARING

Continued

interested itself in the matter, dwelling principally upon the loss the employes would suffer if the beam house were suspended or moved to another city. The beam house he said is the fundamental process in leather making and if it be seriously interrupted the Perry street factory would have to shut down.

The hearing room was packed mostly with the employes of the company. There was also a number of people there ready to oppose any proposition to move the beam house to Perry St.

Dr. Huntress, chairman of the board of health, presided at the hearing. At just 8 o'clock he declared the hearing opened, and said a few words for the guidance of counsel and others. He asked them to be brief and to confine themselves absolutely to the question of whether a nuisance exists in Howe street. He promised that the hearing would be conducted as expeditiously as possible with due regard for the rights of all concerned. Dr. Huntress gave the petitioners an opportunity to be heard, but they had finished on Monday, and Lawyer Edward M. McClennan of Boston, counsel for the American Hide and Leather company, opened for the remonstrants.

Lawyer McClennan

He said that the American Hide and Leather company did not propose to continue its beam house in Howe street; that the company intended to continue its business there only until such time as it has provided itself with a beam house elsewhere. He said he was in doubt as to the real question before the board, and the different petitions to the board of health praying for an abatement of the nuisance were read.

Mr. McClennan said he should infer from the different petitions read that they proceeded along different theories. He asked if he was right in inferring that no beam house would be permitted upon the premises providing the present one was a nuisance.

He said he had evidence to present that would be relevant providing the question of the building of a modern beam house was permissible.

Dr. Huntress said the board had not yet decided that there was a nuisance there, and Mr. McClennan was allowed to proceed along the lines originally intended by him.

He explained at great length the many details connected with the tannery business, and he said it would seem that a concern doing a large business in a cautious and orderly way might expect to have its interests fully and justly considered.

He referred to the investment of capital by the American Hide and Leather company, and gave his version as to what constitutes a nuisance. He said there was always the danger that persons owning property in a certain locality would, for the purpose of enhancing the value of their property, appeal to a judicial board for an abatement of alleged nuisance. Such complaints, he said, might come from persons who bought their property with a knowledge of what they were buying and what the nature of the surroundings were.

He said he was prepared to show that the beam house in Howe street was conducted with more regard for the public in general than any other beam house in the country today.

"We seek to show to you," he said, "that a beam house can be constructed upon the present site with proper provisions that will prevent the escape of odors, so that they will not be noticeable more than ten feet from the building."

Expert Yocum

Mr. McClennan at this point introduced John H. Yocum, a man of beaming experience, and he was asked to tell what could be done by modern methods of beaming and he was supposed to know all about beaming.

He said the odors were due in 99 cases out of 100 to vapors, and he allowed the vapors could be carried away. He cited a case in New Jersey, where a similar complaint as that raised in Lowell had been met and he told how it was overcome. Suction fans seemed to play an important part. He said that by modern methods the odors complained of were easily and readily overcome.

He said the odors that escape and have been escaping from Howe street are not injurious to public health. He said the strongest odors do not come from decayed animal matter.

In reply to a question by Mr. Murphy of the board he admitted that pigeon and hen manure is used in the beam house. He did not know how much was used.

The Howe street beam house he said is one of the least objectionable in the country.

Mr. Yocum said he observed the opening of a sewer into the Concord river at that point and he allowed that sanitary conditions in neighboring property were not the best. He said that combustion would destroy all the odors arising from the beam house and that the most obnoxious odors come from the pickled stock. He thought that was what the public objected to.

He admitted, however, that a plant in Peabody, one of modern construction and equipped with modern improvements, gives off worse odors than the Howe street plant.

Lawyer John C. Burke

Mr. John C. Burke said it was the company's intention to do away with the business in Howe street as soon as possible. He presented a petition having several signatures of persons who do not consider the beam house in Howe street a nuisance. The petitioners prayed that the American Hide and Leather company be allowed to continue in business in Howe street until such time as the company can arrange for and build a modern beam house.

Leather Workers' Petition

The petition presented by Mr. Burke carried about 600 signatures. He said that the members of the Leather Workers union, many of whom were present, had no knowledge of what the action of the company was to be. "I did not know that these men were to appear here," said Mr. Burke. "Many of them own their homes here and I presume they feel that the removal of this property would be a great injury. The important question before the board is simply whether a reasonable time will be given the company to close up the matter."

Dennis Healey

Dennis Healey, president of the Leather Workers' union, was called upon. He said that about 200 men connected with the union were employed by the American Hide & Leather Co., and were working, he said, at a fair rate of wages. He referred to the attitude of the corps and said that from some points that were mentioned in the petitions persons working for the company and owning their own homes were alarmed. He said that he called a special meeting of the union for last Sunday afternoon for the purpose of discussing the matter and about 200 members attended the meeting. He said that the action of the union was not influenced in any way by the American Hide & Leather Co.

Dr. Martin of the Board

Dr. Martin said he regretted that the speaker did not quote all that the press said on the question, and he referred to the records of the previous meeting, when the board gave assurance that it considered it had two questions to deal with. Whether or not a nuisance existed in Howe street and if so, how best to deal with it, and that the board would not take any steps that could be considered unjust to any parties concerned.

Henry A. Smith

Henry A. Smith, president of the board of trade, said that while we do not want a commercial community at the expense of the public health, yet we do want, in every proper way to foster commercial interests. He wondered whether or not the nuisance, if there is one, might be abated under modern methods.

Major Stott

Counsel McClennan called upon Maj. C. A. Stott, who began by saying to Dr. Huntress that 30 years ago he occupied the same position as the doctor occupied last night. The major referred to the time when he was mayor of the city and likewise chairman of the board of health.

Major Stott said that in his estimation there is no nuisance in Howe street, but it came to pass that the major had a wrong conception as to what constitutes a nuisance. He thought a nuisance must be something detrimental to health.

Being corrected on this point, he said: "I am caught there, but it does not faze me."

"Would anything?" asked the chairman.

The major allowed that there is a disagreeable odor in Howe street, but he said it was not detrimental to health and he questioned how much it affected the value of real estate. He said that the company ought to be given an opportunity to show that the nuisance could be abated by modern methods.

Mr. McClennan said in closing that it is not the intention of the company to conduct the business in that building beyond a reasonable time in which to house itself.

Dr. Martin asked if the building had not been condemned and was told that it had not.

The chairman gave the petitioners an opportunity to speak further, but none responded and the hearing was declared closed.

A MONSTER FURNITURE SALE

Truthful Advertising Creates Public Confidence

The excitement of the automobile races is now a thing of th past—a glorious finish. The excitement has now reverted itself to Middlesex street where BORNSTEIN & QUINN, Lowell's "live" furniture dealers, are conducting their wonderful cut price furniture sale.

DON'T LET THE PRICES PREJUDICE YOU, for we are selling the finest high grade Furniture, Stoves and Carpets at less than 60c ON THE DOLLAR.

IRON BEDS

Iron Bedsteads, strongly built, with brass trimming, worth $3.50. Price $2.50

Iron Bedsteads, continuous posts, very heavy, worth $7. Price $4.75

SPRINGS

Woven Wire Springs, made of heavy pipe iron with strong protection in centre. Regular price $3.50, now..... $1.98

National Springs made of heavy steel fabric with best oil tempered helide springs, guaranteed, all sizes. Regular price $5.00, now..... $2.98

MATTRESSES

Soft Top Mattresses, made of good quality ticking, all sizes, one or two parts. Everybody's price $3.00. Our price $1.98

Soft Top and Bottom Mattresses, made of best quality ticking, one or two parts. Regular price $4.50, now $2.98

Combination Mattresses, made of rattan fibre and padded with white cotton all around, a mattress that we recommend and guarantee to keep its shape. Cost $6.50, now $3.95

Our Sanitary Mattress is made of white cotton felt, best quality ticking, finished with the imperial rolled edge. Worth $8.50. Price...$5.95

RANGES

$30.00 Ranges, removable nickel trimmings, made of heavy smooth castings and guaranteed baker. Price with pipe $22.50

$35.00 Ranges in plain or ornamental designs, guaranteed baker. Price with pipe $26.50

PARLOR SUITS

5-Piece Parlor Suits, finished in mahogany and upholstered in velour. Regular price $25.00, now $15.90

6-Piece Parlor Suits, finished heavy and polished, beautifully carved and upholstered in verona with spring edge, cheap at $60, now....$42.50

DRESSERS

Dressers made of oak, golden finish and have large French plate mirror. Regular price $9.50, now $6.98

Dressers made of quartered oak, polished, large French plate mirror and serpentine swell front. Regular price $16.00, now $12.98

MORRIS CHAIRS

$7 Morris Chairs, frames made of oak, golden finish and have reversible cushions upholstered in green velour. Sale price $4.98

HALL STANDS

Hall stands with large shaped French plate mirror and cast brass hangers; very beautiful, worth $12.00. Sale price $8.45

SIDEBOARDS

Handsome Sideboards finished in American quartered oak; would be cheap at $18.00, now $12.98

Sideboards made of quartered oak, polished, beautifully carved and have large French plate mirror. A bargain at $25.00. Price $17.95

Sideboards made of quartered oak, polished, have large French plate mirror and cast brass trimmings; extraordinary value at $30. Reduced to $22.50

DINING TABLES

Extention table with heavy fluted legs, finished in golden oak. Regular price $7.50, now $4.98

Round Extension Tables, heavy pedestal leg in centre, polished; would be cheap for $15.00, now $9.95

COUCH BEDS

Drop Side Couch Beds, frames made of heavy angle iron and fitted wire National spring; can be opened into a full-sized bed, complete with mattress and bolster. Regular price $6.50, now.....$4.69

Sliding Couch Beds; we have nothing but the best. Can be opened into a full-sized bed or taken apart and used as two separate beds, complete with mattresses and pillows. Regular price $8.00, now $5.95

PARLOR STOVES AT HALF PRICE

It is perhaps a little early to talk parlor stoves to you, but we have a few left over from last season and will get rid of them at any old price. It will pay you to look at them.

FREE SOUVENIRS given away to everybody on Friday and Saturday.

Bornstein & Quinn 160-162 MIDDLESEX ST.

HATS

We're After Your Hat Trade

This store has built up a tremendous hat business—We did it by values. We want your trade—If we get it this fall it's ours for good—We give extra values for the price—See our great hat window; it's the talk of the town.

Special Style 4343 Special

Our special this fall (style 4343) is a winner; the early sales have been very large—Do you know about our specials? Each season we have a special. Each season it's been the popular hat—Our special is guaranteed in every way—If it doesn't turn out well bring it back and get your money—It's a $3 shape—It's a $3 quality—It looks and wears like a $3 hat, and we run it as a special at

Colors black and brown. **$2.00 each**

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Game called at 3 p.m.

ADMISSION—15 CENTS

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By the I. A. A. C., Spalding Park, Saturday, Sept. 25. All entries may be obtained at the office of the Y. M. C. A. in Hurd street or at the C. Y. M. L. rooms in Suffolk street. Entry list closes Thursday night. Entries 25 cents and 10 cents extra for each event. The prizes are on exhibition in the window of Harry Raynes, Central street.

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NIGHT EDITION

DEATH LIST GROWS

Latest Report is That More Than 100 Persons Perished

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 24.--Belated reports today of death and destruction from Monday's hurricane in Louisiana and Mississippi show extensive loss of life and property. The list of dead is now over 100. With little hope that a number of others reported missing escaped, the total dead may reach 160. News of fifteen additional deaths along the waterways between Morgan City, La., and the gulf and on the adjacent coast have been received. Nearly all of these were fishermen caught in small craft by the storm.

Stories brought here by persons arriving from the stricken districts reveal many pathetic and unusual occurrences. A four-year-old child was found lodged in the branches of a tree on the lower coast of Terrebonne parish, having survived for three days without food or water.

One of the striking incidents of the relief work along the coast was the rescue of a family in a small boat in which a baby had been born an hour before the relief steamer arrived.

LIABILITIES ARE $660,079

BOSTON, Sept. 24.--The Suffolk county grand jury came together for a special session today to hear evidence in the case of Sederquist, Barry & Co., brokers, who went into bankruptcy recently. The books of the company show there are about 800 creditors concerned. The firm's liabilities amount to $660,079 while the assets are $127,367.

COL. HAPGOOD DEAD

CHELSEA, Sept. 24.--Col. Charles Hapgood, superintendent of the Soldiers' home here and a veteran of the Civil war, died at the home today. He was 79 years old. Col. Hapgood had been ill for some time and had not actively had charge of the institution for more than a year.

BOARD OF HEALTH

Says Am. Hide & Leather Co. Will Have to Leave Howe St.

The American Hide and Leather company must abandon its premises in Howe street. The nuisance there must be abated for the board of health has so declared.

At a special meeting of the board held shortly after the noon hour today, the following motion offered by Dr. Martin and seconded by Mr. Murphy was unanimously adopted:

"The board of health finds from all evidence submitted, and from personal investigation of the premises on Howe street and the adjacent territory that the beaming house and the business as therein conducted is offensive and a nuisance to the neighborhood in which it is now placed.

"But in view of the assurances given to this board by the American Hide and Leather company that it is their intention to remove said beaming plant to another location at once and to erect a building or buildings on new and improved methods satisfactory to this board, we therefore withold immediate condemnation proceedings against said premises.

"But unless said American Hide and Leather company shall remove said beaming plant to another locality to be approved by this board within such time as this board shall deem sufficient for the purpose, then this board will condemn the same and order an immediate abatement thereof."

PETITION PRESENTED

The following petition which is self explanatory was presented by Dr. Martin to the board of health of the city of Lowell:

"It having been reported that the American Hide & Leather Co., is proposing to remove that part of its business known as the beaming process from Howe street to its works in Perry street, subject to the approval of your board, the undersigned residents and taxpayers of the city of Lowell respectfully pray that your board will not grant permission to said company to carry on such business at its Perry street works or at any point in that neighborhood, as they believe that the same, however, conducted would be offensive and detrimental to the comfort and health of the inhabitants of that section of the city:

C. S. Lilley, The Rogers Hall school by C. W. Whidden, George A. Leahey, M. D., James J. Kerwin, Albert J. Pinder, Frederick P. Marble, Thomas F. Costello, Edward J. Gallagher, Charles Dana Palmer, George W. Dutton, Albion C. Taylor, Harry Dunlap, George A. Chase, Boyden H. Pillsbury, M. D., Daniel J. Donahue, Joseph J. Hennessy.

KILLED HIMSELF

Man Said He Was Fourth Woman Drove to Desperation

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.--In the morning mail Coroner Harburger received two of the strangest letters that ever came to him during his official career.

The writer, a suicide by the time they were received, notified the coroner of his death and blamed it upon a "vampire"--a woman who had made him love her and had then thrown him over.

She had treated other men in exactly the same manner, declared the message from the dead. And, the writer asserted, she was married all the while, and after her conquest of the man who killed himself, returned to her husband.

This was the first letter.

"To Coroner Harburger--Nine weeks ago I made the acquaintance of Mrs. Helen Krampf, at No. 303 East One Hundred and Tenth street, who came to live with me and said she loved me. I promised to marry her for I loved her as I never loved before. But now she is gone, and I have found that behind my back she was paying visits to another man. I caught her at it. For that reason I am seeking death, as I cannot live without her.

"Enclosed is her photograph, which I want to have published in the newspapers; also the marriage certificate from her husband, whom she left. I cannot outlive it, as I have loved her so much and she has been false.

"Emil Shohn."

This letter was mystifying, since it gave no address of the writer. Coroner Harburger thought it might be a practical joke, although it enclosed a photograph of a good-looking woman and a marriage certificate. But in the same mail was another letter which read as follows:

"To Coroner Harburger, I am the fourth man this woman has driven to desperation. For that reason I beg you to publish this letter and give it to the newspapers. My corpse you will find in a vacant flat on the fourth floor of the house No. 303 East One Hundred and Tenth street--the same house where the woman lives.

"Emil Shohn."

The coroner hurried uptown and learned that the police had found Shohn dead by gas. The police had discovered that Mrs. Krampf had lived there, but within the last few days had gone back to her husband, Abraham Krampf, who lives at No. 214 East Eighty-second street.

She was found there later in the day, but neither she nor her husband would talk about Emil Shohn's last message.

It was not in Harburger's province to investigate further or to take any action.

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MATRIMONIAL

A very pretty wedding took place at the chapel of the Sacred Heart church last Wednesday evening, when Miss Delia C. Lynch and Mr. Louis A. Crosby were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. The ceremony was performed by the pastor of the church, Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I. The bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Mary E. Crotty, and Mr. Wm. H. Crosby, brother of the groom, was the best man. The bride was becomingly attired in a gown of white poplin over cream silk. She wore a large picture hat and carried a white prayer book. The bridesmaid wore white Hamburg over pink silk and white hat. After the ceremony a wedding reception was held.

REV. JOHN WITHROW DEAD

BOSTON, Sept. 24.--Rev. John Withrow, pastor emeritus and for years pastor of Park Street church died today at his home in Brookline at the age of 72 years. He had been in ill health for some time. He had been connected with Park Street church nearly [illegible] years.

CENSUS BUREAU

WILL ANNOUNCE COTTON GINNING REPORT ON MONDAY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.--The census bureau today announced that the cotton ginning report which was to have been issued at noon on Saturday, Oct. 2 has been postponed until 10 o'clock a. m., Monday Oct. 4, Saturday being a half holiday the exchanges would be closed.

POLAND WATER
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BASEBALL GAMES

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24.--American: Philadelphia-Cleveland game postponed on account of rain. Two games tomorrow.

American at New York--New York-Detroit game postponed, rain.

American at Washington--Chicago-Washington game postponed, rain.

American at Boston--Boston-St. Louis game postponed, rain. Double header tomorrow.

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SMOOTH PAVING

Work to be Started in Bridge Street

Poor Bridge street is being lacerated again. No sooner does an old wound heal than a new one is opened and the doctor's bills are something terrible. She is undergoing a painful operation at the present time but she has the assurance of her physicians that after this operation she will be stronger than ever; that even horses' shoes will not leave an impression and the jar of an automobile will not amount to as much as a smelt in the Bay of Fundy.

The street railway company is completing its line of new rails in Bridge street; making ready for the finishing touches of the smooth pavers. The work of paving Merrimack street is being pushed right along and within a comparatively few days the smooth pavers will be paying their respects to Merrimack square.

It is understood that the street railway has connected with the special iron for the square and will have it in position by the time the smooth pavers shout "clear the way." To get the whole job done before the arrival of Jack Frost is the hope of the street department.

BUSINESS CONDITIONS

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.--Despatches to R. G. Dun & Co., indicate some interruption to business at the south, because of the severe storm, but reports from all other sections of the country are uniformly favorable. Boston reports continued activity at retail with a large business in nearly all departments while September sales of dry goods closely approach the record made in 1907. High cost of raw cotton checks a free movement in finished goods and there is some talk of production being curtailed by the mills until conditions [illegible].

Bank clearings show decided [illegible] this week, total exchanges at all leading cities in the United States being $3,[illegible], 28 per cent over a year ago and 15.9 per cent larger than in the corresponding week of 1906.

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ASTOUNDING CASE

Larceny Charge Brings Out Most Sensational Evidence

Of Alleged Polygamy and Homicide by the Defendant and Bigamy by the Woman Who Complained of Her Husband

One of the most sensational cases ever heard in police court proved to be that of George Cacalatres, charged with the larceny of $255 from Christiza D. Strategopoulos, which was aired before Judge Hadley at this morning's session. During the course of the testimony it was brought out that the defendant had three wives, the complainant being his second wife, and also that the complainant had two husbands. She was not aware of the location of her first husband or the children she had by him.

Daniel J. Donahue appeared for the government while the defendant was represented by J. Joseph Hennessy.

Christiza D. Strategopoulos, the complainant, was the first witness and her testimony was in part as follows. "I gave him (Cacalatres) $255 after he told me that he would marry me. He later married me and lived with me two and a half years. He then left me and married a woman in Ipswich. He never paid back the money to me. Shortly after he married me he told me he had a wife in Greece. He said, however, that he was not legally married to her as he had taken her away from her husband and she did not have any divorce. He said he had several children by that woman.

On cross-examination the complainant said: "My uncle forced me to marry a Turk when I was in Greece. We had several children, but I do not know where he or the children are at the present time."

Witness further said that the first time she saw the defendant was when he ran through her house in Alameda, Greece, after he had killed a man.

Much more testimony of a complicated character was produced, it being shown that the grand jury had failed to indict the defendant for polygamy and also that the woman had turned over all her money to the defendant while she was married to him.

No defence was offered.

After carefully considering the case Judge Hadley found the defendant not guilty and ordered him discharged on the larceny charge but the developments of the case astonished the court and everybody present.

REVOLVER SHOTS

Were Heard by Cousin of the Murdered Man

CLINTON, Sept. 24.--Following a private inquest into the cause of the death of Dr. Henry Stone of Newburyport in the district court here today a preliminary hearing was given Raymond Plouffe and George Lapointe of Harvard, who are charged with the crime. The body of Dr. Stone was found in Harvard on Sept. 17, where it is believed to have lain since Sept. 13. On that night he left the home of his sister in a buggy driven by Plouffe to go to a railroad station.

This was the last seen of him.

At the request of Asst. Dist. Atty. Sallies of Worcester county, who conducted the government's case, the inquest was private. At its conclusion the hearing was begun.

The most important facts developed at the hearing before a recess was taken for lunch in the testimony of Charles H. Stone, a cousin of the dead man, and Charles Stone, his nephew, that they heard two revolver shots on the night of the murder. Their home is a quarter of a mile from the scene. Hitherto no person could be found who had heard shots.

Dr. Tobey, medical examiner, testified to finding two bullet wounds but stated that neither or both would have caused Dr. Stone's death. Multiple fractures of the skull which he found and which were undoubtedly caused by blows from large stones might have caused death, he said. Other witnesses heard before recess were Mrs. Charles Davis, sister of the murdered man, Deputy Sheriff Fillebrown and State Officer Robert M. Molt of Worcester.

THE PRESIDENT

ARRIVED IN UTAH AND WAS WELCOMED BY GOVERNOR

HELPER, Utah, Sept. 24.--Still in pursuit of the setting sun President Taft's westward journey brought him into Utah today to be welcomed by the governor, the senators, representatives in congress and a committee of citizens who came from Salt Lake City to Helper in a special car which was attached here to the Taft special. The president's first stop will be at Provo, a short distance east of Salt Lake City where he will spend 45 minutes. He will arrive at Salt Lake City at 4:30 p. m., to remain there until Sunday noon.

Word has come indirectly to the president that a protest has been made in Salt Lake City by a number of Protestant ministers against the plan to have the president make an address in the Mormon tabernacle Saturday morning. It is said Protestant ministers believe he should go to a Protestant church on Sunday. It is possible the matter will be arranged by having the president make his address in the tabernacle at the time of the organ recital although the matter is still in the hands of the Salt Lake City committee. No statement could be had through the president's party this morning.

When he left Grand Junction early this morning the president bade farewell to the picturesque court of 32 Colorado sheriffs. He paid the sheriffs a high compliment and declared to one of his audiences yesterday that the friendship of the sheriff was always a good thing to cultivate.

President Taft on the eve of his departure from Beverly a little more than a week ago said he expected to make 75 speeches on his trip of eight weeks. When he made a short address in Montrose, Colo., last night his total speeches had reached fifty. Car-end stops have been far more frequent than was anticipated and the president has responded wherever possible to the never-ceasing calls for speeches.

GOLD ROPE CHAIN AND MOSAIC CROSS lost Friday morning in the Colonial Ladies' Dressing Room. Liberal reward for return to office of Page's Spa, Merrimack square.

6 O'CLOCK

WANTS MONEY BACK

Attorney Says Justice Moody's Cousin Was Fleeced

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—A case that is of great interest to many [illegible] in that one of the people [illegible] suit is a cousin of Justice Moody of the United States supreme court [illegible] lation of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, is coming to the [illegible] county court and will be heard [illegible] merits.

The bill is an equity [illegible] inally filed in the [illegible] was transferred and [illegible] bility be heard in [illegible].

It is brought [illegible] Daniel T. O'Connell [illegible] the estate of Harriet L. Moody of Newbury, who died on May 17 of the present year, at the age of [illegible] years. He brought suit against Mary C. Hill, Walter F. Hill and [illegible] the first two living in [illegible] the last named in [illegible].

The bill sets forth that Harriet L. Moody had for a long time [illegible] feeble condition mentally and physically and that she had had on deposit in the Newbury Five Cent Savings bank $1600, Institution for Savings $1378.28, Haverhill Savings bank $718.22, Georgetown Savings bank $177.17, and in the [illegible] Savings bank $423.96.

That three months before her death Mary C. and Walter Hill induced her to come and live with them where she was attended by Dr. Hoyt, and that the three conspired to secure her property by undue influence on March 29, 1909, by representing that [illegible] [illegible] would be [illegible] savings bank [illegible] [illegible].

The [illegible] in the [illegible] the respondents be enjoined from [illegible].

Mrs. Harriet M. [illegible].

Attorney O'Connell [illegible] that the [illegible] withdrawal of money and that they [illegible] afterward.

Miss Moody died without leaving any trace of a will, and as there are no direct heirs in this section of the country the court appointed Lawyer O'Connell administrator of the estate. The only known direct heirs are the grand-nephews who live in Nebraska and are being communicated with.

TO HOLD RECOUNT

Registrars Will Canvass Vote Again

There have already been filed at the office of the city clerk two petitions for a recount of votes cast in the 15th and 16th representative districts, and the recounts will probably be held Saturday morning at 9 o'clock in the public hearing room on the second floor of city hall. The recount will be under the supervision of the board of registrars.

PEARY RESTING

Tired After His Journey of 770 Miles

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 24.—The [illegible] hours today were devoted to rest by Commander Peary and his family in their rooms at the Falmouth hotel, all being much fatigued by their 770 mile journey from Sydney, C. B. Last night's remarkable demonstration, the home coming and the [illegible] at which the banquet was concluded. Breakfast was served to them in their suite and none of the members of the family were seen about the hotel until shortly before noon. The [illegible] at their summer [illegible] Eagle Island was brought to the city during the forenoon in readiness for Commander Peary, Mrs. Peary and the two children to Eagle Island about noon. The distance is 15 [illegible] and the trip requires nearly two [illegible].

It is understood Mr. Peary will go to [illegible] Sunday or Monday for a conference with Gen. Thomas H. Hubbard, president of the Peary Arctic club, to whom he consigned important papers referring bearing on the Cook controversy.

B. R. POLLOCK

MADE GENERAL SUPT. OF NEW HAVEN ROAD

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 24.—Official announcement is made today of the appointment of B. R. Pollock as general superintendent of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad to succeed W. E. Reed. Mr. Pollock is [illegible] superintendent of the Midland division of the New Haven system.

IN POLICE COURT

Bicycle and Other Thieves Fared Badly Today

Anselm Barry pleaded guilty to the larceny of a bicycle, the property of [illegible]. He was ordered to pay the owner $10 and also pay the court $[illegible] the latter amount to be paid within two months. In the meantime Barry is to be placed in the custody of the probation officer.

Assaulted His Wife

William Carroll, who was yesterday found guilty of assaulting his wife, was sentenced to three months in jail this morning but shortly after sentence had been passed the case was dismissed and Carroll was turned over to Probation Officer Ramsey, it having been learned that he had been placed in that officer's care at the last session of the superior court.

Another Wife Beater

Harold Newcombe, who was in court last Friday and found guilty of assaulting his wife, came up for sentence in court today. Judge Hadley after continuing the case last week felt that in the meantime Mr. and Mrs. Newcombe would reach some mutual understanding but they failed to do so and [illegible] Newcombe to pay $[illegible] a week to his wife. Joseph Lenihan appeared for the complainant and D. J. Donahue for the defense.

Placed on File

Agapito N. Alvernaz was arrested yesterday on a warrant charging him with the larceny of $40 from one Antonio [illegible]. It was alleged that the defendant acted as a broker who made a business of sending money to the Azores for his fellow countrymen, but failed to send the money [illegible] the complainant. This [illegible] settlement was [illegible] the case was placed on file.

Ransacked a Room

Joseph Donahue, who also travels under the name of Joseph [illegible], was arrested yesterday afternoon by Inspector Walsh and in court this morning [illegible] was charged with [illegible] to which he pleaded guilty. In a second count he was charged with the larceny of a suit of clothing belonging to George Reynolds, while a third count charged him with the larceny of a suit of clothes and a hat, the property of William Wilbur. He entered pleas of not guilty to the larceny counts.

According to the testimony offered in the case the defendant had been living at St. John street and sometime yesterday he entered the rooms occupied by Reynolds and Wilbur and stole the clothes and afterwards sold them to second hand clothing dealers in Middlesex street.

He was found guilty and a fine of $30 imposed, the money to be paid in three days or else go to jail for four months.

Out Again—In Again

Michael Brown, who was released from the state farm Saturday, got into all kinds of trouble last night and this morning when he appeared in police court he was a sight. One of his cheeks was cut open, his nose was bruised out of shape and one of his eyes looked as though it would leave the socket at any moment. It seems that he felt so elated at being released on parole that he immediately started out to fill up. While trying to navigate over Merrimack street near the corner of Central, where the Boston & Northern has been relaying its rails, he stumbled over a rail and battered his face against one of the irons. Patrolman Petrie arrived on the scene shortly after Brown met with the mishap and sent him to the police station. He was sent back to the state farm this afternoon.

Two Months in Jail

Ella Green, a young woman who lives in Graniteville, but whose love for intoxicating liquors has caused her to lead a rather vicious life, was before the court this morning and was sentenced to two months in jail.

Thomas E. Tyrell will be returned to the state farm. Patrick J. Cleary was fined $6, one drunk was fined $3, and two were fixed $2 each.

Liquor Forfeited

The liquor seized at the Kable farm in Tyngsboro during the automobile carnival was this morning declared forfeited to the state.

GRAND SPECTACLE

All in Readiness for the Hudson-Fulton Celebration

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—All the units which are to comprise the magnificent marine and aeronautic spectacle during the celebration of the 300th anniversary of the discovery of the Hudson river and the 100th anniversary of Fulton's first trip up that river in a steamboat were gathered in and about New York today with the single exception of one of the aeroplanes. And a strange and wonderful fleet of marine and air craft they would have made if assembled in comparison. Here was the little Half Moon with her towering poop and stumpy spars in which Hudson navigated the river three hundred years ago. Across the harbor was the reproduction of the Clermont capable at the best of steaming several miles an hour with her uncovered paddle wheels in striking dissimilarity with the great turbine steamer Lusitania which came in this morning, lying outside Sandy Hook bar with three other British war vessels was the splendid British battleship Inflexible, one of the heaviest hitting, fastest and most costly of the British navy. Four German cruisers, the Victoria Luise, Hertha, Bremen and Dresden, came majestically up the harbor this morning amid the salutes from the batteries, which they returned gun for gun, and took their places in the long column of American, French and Mexican ships already at anchor in the Hudson.

The Inflexible with Admiral Sir Edward Hobart Seymour in command joined the other British ships off Sandy Hook this morning and anchored there at the head of the British column, awaiting a favorable opportunity to come up the bay. This ship is regarded as one of the most interesting objects of the great assemblage. With her arrival the gathering of the fleets would be complete for the harbor was already dotted with beautiful steam yachts in readiness for the naval parade tomorrow when the Half Moon and the Clermont will be escorted around the harbor and up the Hudson river, to be saluted by the warships anchored there.

Over on the flat land recently added to Governors Island two plain, homely wooden structures mark the presence of the latest and most remarkable development of the aviators—the aeroplanes of the Wright brothers and Glenn H. Curtiss. Mr. Curtiss, however, was in Hammondsport, N. Y., assembling his aeroplane. He intended to bring his flyer to New York Saturday and may make preliminary flights Monday.

WM. C. RUSSELL

Was Not Present in Court Today

CAMBRIDGE, Sept. 24.—Despite the best efforts of would-be process servers William C. Russell of Melrose, defendant in the case in which his brother Daniel B. Russell of Dickinson, N. D., seeks to recover a half interest in their father's $700,000 estate, was still absent from the court-room today. The forenoon was occupied with the testimony and cross-examination of boyhood friends of the petitioner, all of whom identified him as the son of Daniel Russell whose property is the subject of litigation.

LAWSON IS ALIVE

He and Friend Thought Drowned

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—E. P. Lawson and his friend who were supposed to have been drowned in the Hudson last night when the launch Madegare struck a tow line of the tug Edward H. Meade were found safe on shore this afternoon. The third man of the party has not yet been found. Lawson and his friend got to shore after more than an hour in the water. The police in small boats aided by sailors from the French flagship Lajustice searched the waters all night believing the occupants of the launch were drowned.

MRS. VANDERBILT

DECLINES TO DISCUSS REPORT OF MARITAL TROUBLES

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., with her son and daughter, William K. Vanderbilt, 3rd, and Miss Muriel Vanderbilt, returned to New York from abroad today on the Cunard liner Lusitania. When asked to make a statement concerning the recent report of her marital troubles she replied:

"I cannot say anything at this time. I have been so much in the public eye that I do not wish to make any statement."

Fred C. Church carried the insurance on the Farrington property, Tyler street, damaged by fire last night.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

The following marriage licenses were issued this morning:

Wilfred Arcand, Carmel, Me., 24, engineer, to Albertine Gagne, 109 Perkins street, 19, mill operative.

Georg Pathiannis, 91 Arch street, 30, mill operative, to Fatcenna Boisvert, 91 Arch street, 20, mill operative.

Charles Arthur Demult, 130 Tenth street, 39, milkman, to Delina Ayotte, 4 rear 467 Moody street, 37, weaver.

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—After a generally firm opening the Boston market lapsed into dullness and weakness today. While the gains and losses were fractional the latter were most in evidence.

DEATHS

DONAGHUE—Charles A. Donaghue, aged 72 years, an old and well known resident of St. Patrick's parish, died early this morning at his home, 2 Marion street. He leaves to mourn his loss, besides his wife, Theresa B., six daughters, Mrs. Mary E. Peters of Concord, N. H., Mrs. John C. O'Neil, Mrs. James Cornock, Mrs. John J. Leonard and the Misses Hannah and Lottie Donaghue, all of Lowell; two sons, Charles and Edward of Philadelphia. He was a prominent member of Post 42, G. A. R.

McDANIELS—Miss Elizabeth McDaniels, for many years a teacher in the Lowell High school, died at her home Wednesday evening, 495 East Merrimack street, after an illness of only a week. Miss McDaniels was seized with a paralytic shock a week ago, and failed to rally from its effects.

She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McDaniels and was a native of Lowell. For many years she was a teacher in the Lowell high school, where many Lowell young people came under her instruction, all of whom cherish the most pleasant recollections of her quiet gentleness and painstaking care, and all of whom will learn of her death with profound regret.

Miss McDaniels exerted a quiet, yet none the less potent, influence on the intellectual life of the community. Possessed of a wide general knowledge and of a genial sense of humor as well, she made herself a most delightful companion to a circle of intimate friends who found in her a constant inspiration. She was a member of the Fortnightly club, and had at various times its president. Since leaving the high school staff, which she did several years ago, she had given her activities largely to intellectual and charitable, doing much quiet good of which the world heard and knew little. She made her home with her sister, Miss Charlotte McDaniels, who survives her, as do also two brothers, Prof. Joseph H. McDaniels of Hobart college, Geneva, N. Y., and Mr. Walter H. McDaniels of this city. Her funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2.30 from her late home.

SEVERANCE—Waldo Severance died yesterday afternoon at the city hospital after a short illness, aged [illegible] years. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker Albert H. [illegible] on Jackson street.

RAPAZA—Mrs. Mary Rapaza, aged 28 years, died yesterday afternoon at her late home, 6 Linden street. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, [illegible] Scriaga, and five children.

FUNERALS

WATSON—The funeral of [illegible] G. Watson took place from the Lowell cemetery chapel yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. George F. Kenngott, pastor of the First Trinitarian Congregational church. The bearers were Oliver Pattee, Harvey B. Greene, Fred Hoyt and Henry G. White. Burial was in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Mr. Frederick A. Puffer, funeral under the direction of Undertaker [illegible] W. Healey.

KNUTSON—The funeral of [illegible] Charlotte, twin daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Knutson, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 218 Thorndike street, and was very largely attended by [illegible] friends and relatives. Rev. [illegible] Everett of the Swedish [illegible] church of Manchester, N. H., officiated. There was singing by Frank [illegible] and Mrs. Carrie Strengren, who sang "I'm a Pilgrim," "There Will Be Something for the Children in Heaven," and "Shall We Meet Beyond the River?"

There was a large profusion of floral offerings, including a large pillow inscribed "Mildred," from the parents; large basket, grandparents and uncle; sprays, Miss Wogander and Miss Swanson, John Knutson, Miss Anna Knutson and Mr. Lundberg, Miss Ingrid and Hannah Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ahlberg and daughter, Baby Foster, William and Eric Nelson, Miss Emma and Joe Hagstrom, Mr. and Mrs. Dunn, Miss Katherine, Charles and Francis Cronen, Miss Florence Lundburg, Mr. and Mrs. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Olsson, Mr. and Mrs. H. Summerfelt.

The bearers were John Knutson, Philip Ladan, Victor Lundberg and Otto Craban. Burial took place in the family lot in the Edson cemetery, where the committal service was read by the Rev. Mr. Everett. Mr. Wm. H. Saunders, undertaker of the Horace Ela Co., had charge of the funeral arrangements.

McCLELLAN—The funeral of Gertrude McClellan took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents, Andrew and Sarah, 79 Cushing street. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Chas. H. Molloy & Sons.

ANNIE BESANT

Says She Has Been Hypatia and Bruno

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Sept. 24.—Intimate friends of Mrs. Annie Besant, president of the Theosophical society of the world, declared [illegible] their leader [illegible] Hypatia and Giordano Bruno.

[illegible]

Mrs. Besant told [illegible] released to her after 20 years [illegible] in England and India [illegible].

During [illegible] Mrs. Besant says she lived a different life [illegible] but she [illegible] will live again.

HE MAY RESIGN

Commander Peary May Give Up Place

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—[illegible]

POLICY OF PARTY

To be Decided Upon by Prohibitionists Today

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—The policy of the prohibition party in the national campaign of 1912 and possibly the presidential campaign will be tentatively determined today by the scores of party leaders who are in Chicago to celebrate the 40th anniversary of the founding of the party at the Hotel La Salle. Notable members of the party, including former candidates for the presidency and vice presidency, are in attendance, and it is asserted that the gathering will be tantamount to a national convention in point of attendance of men who direct the affairs of the party.

It is said that a movement is on foot to have adopted a rough draft of a 1912 platform, which would deal with current conditions politically, tariff and other things as well as the basic principle of abolishing the legalized liquor traffic.

Among those here are J. B. Russell and [illegible], temporary chairman of the first convention, who arrived from Boston yesterday, and John H. St. John of Kansas, 76 years of age, who was presidential candidate in 1884.

COOK'S SPEECH

Added Nothing New to Controversy

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The enthusiasm that greeted Dr. Fred [illegible] at the Arctic club's dinner last night at the Waldorf-Astoria is admitted [illegible] his opponents in the North [illegible] controversy to have been a great personal tribute. Some disappointment is felt, however, because the explorer's [illegible] speech added no new evidence to the dispute. Little evidence [illegible] expected [illegible] lectures which the explorer is scheduled to deliver here later and in other cities.

[illegible] Dr. Cook's popularity is still high. His suite at the [illegible] is besieged by crowds and he is a marked figure when he takes his daily outing, usually in an automobile in the park. The explorer is gradually mapping out a program.

In addition to fulfilling the demands of his heavy correspondence he is busy in the preparation of his lectures. The first will be delivered here Monday night.

Public interest is beginning to center [illegible] Commander Peary [illegible] his forerunner, the return of his ship, the Roosevelt, which is expected here before the end of next [illegible].

It is a subject of remark that only one member of the Peary Arctic club [illegible] Cook dinner. The [illegible] was composed almost entirely of members of the Arctic Club of America, which has announced its partisanship for Dr. Cook, his neighbors in Brooklyn, and men who had already declared themselves for the Brooklyn explorer.

[illegible] friends say that [illegible] between the two rivals and their supporters are sharply defined [illegible] his arrival [illegible] few converts.

FUNERAL NOTICES

McDANIELS—Died in this city, Sept. 22, at her home, 495 East Merrimack [illegible] Miss Elizabeth McDaniels. [illegible] late residence, 495 East Merrimack street, Saturday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

DONAGHUE—The funeral of Charles A. Donaghue will take place Sunday afternoon at 1.30 from his late home, 2 Marion street. Burial will be in the Catholic cemetery. Charles H. Molloy and Sons in charge.

COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Cotton futures opened [illegible]; Oct. [illegible]; Dec. 13.38; Jan. [illegible]; March 13.32; April [illegible]; May 13.4[illegible]; June [illegible]; July 13.42.

MAFIA ARRESTS

300 Are Planned by the New York Police

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—It developed yesterday that within a month detectives will have rounded up about three hundred men in Greater New York who came here from Italy with criminal records, [illegible] to these records in [illegible] New York and vicinity, and who, in many cases, are wanted in connection with the assassination of Lieutenant Joseph Petrosino in Italy.

This fact was not obtained from Commissioner Baker or any of his immediate subordinates—was learned by a reporter seeking an interview with Mr. Baker concerning the report that 127 men had been arrested in Palermo, Italy, in connection with the murder of Petrosino. All the commissioner would say was:

"Those men must have been arrested by Italians. They are Italians. Their arrest was planned by the Italian authorities. [illegible] sent here for the [illegible] with them were in this country. I have nothing further to say."

When "Tony" Vachris, Italian lieutenant, was seen, he said:

"Acting under orders, I have nothing to say about any investigation into the records of Italian residents of this city, or any other foreigners."

Nevertheless Vachris, Lieutenant Crowley, who also was in Italy on a mission similar to Petrosino's and other detectives are working hard to perfect evidence against the several hundreds of foreigners they intend to arrest. So important is Vachris' job that he has been made a personal aide to Mr. Baker in the latter's office, where it would be pretty hard to "get him," as the thugs express it.

Crowley has nothing to say concerning the contemplated wholesale arrests, which are expected to rid the city of some of its most dangerous residents —blackmailers, bombthrowers, and the like.

GEN'L HUBBARD

Made Examination of Peary Data

BAR HARBOR, Me., Sept. 24.—Examination was made today by Gen. Thomas Hubbard, president of the Peary Arctic club, of the data and observations of Commander R. E. Peary's dash to the pole and of the information which Commander Peary has obtained on the speed of [illegible]. The examination of these is [illegible] conference here either on Monday or Tuesday when Commander Peary will probably submit further records and supply any needful information [illegible] the rough draft of his preliminary reports.

[illegible] the celebration day of the [illegible] Gen. Hubbard had no [illegible] Gen. Hubbard feels, it is understood, that Commander Peary should proceed with the development of his scientific data and [illegible] the necessary evidence to prove his finding of the [illegible] to any question as [illegible] to the [illegible] in all [illegible] by Commander [illegible] New York will soon be [illegible] Gen. Hubbard, who said today [illegible] that Zenas Crane, vice president of the club, Secretary H. L. Bridgman and Anton Raven of New York, Gen. Hubbard and all the officers of the club would consider every phase of the controversy.

ARMY OFFICERS

CONTINUED THEIR "HIKE" AT FORT BANKS

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—Over ground rendered wet and muddy by a rain which fell most of the night the four army officers of the department of the east, who are participating in a three days' walking test, continued their "hike" at Fort Banks today. During six and one-half hours they maintained an easy gait which was expected to enable them to cover 50 miles. The test walks will be concluded tomorrow.

C. PAYNE DEAD

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—It became known in financial circles today that C. Payne, formerly a member of the firm of Payne, Webber & Co. of this city, died at the Massachusetts General hospital last night of kidney trouble. Mr. Payne was 58 years old. He was a director in many copper mining companies and interested also in other ventures. He left a large fortune.

SHARKEY COMING

Thomas Sharkey, the boxer, writes that he will be in Lowell this evening to referee the events at the Spalding park athletic meet tomorrow afternoon. He will probably take the 7.30 o'clock train from Boston.

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Fine Tailored Serge and Panama Suits, $5.98, regular price $11.50.

Fine Serge and Broadcloth Suits, all colors, $5.98, value $15.

125 Ladies' and Misses' High Grade Sample Suits, all sizes and shades, for this sale $12.98 Each.

Balance of our Linen Skirts, formerly sold for $1.00 and $1.25, for 50c Each.

75 Pretty Panama Dress Skirts, all shades, to close $[illegible] Each.

Pretty Panama and Serge Dress Skirts, all shades and sizes, $1.98 Each for this sale.

The greatest slaughter sale of fine Shirt Waists ever known Friday and Saturday.

Good Lawn Percale Working Waists, 15c Each.

All our 50c and 97c Lawn Waists, 35c to clean up.

All our 97c, $1.25 and $1.48 Fine Lawn and Lingerie Waists, to clean up, 59c Each.

High grade Tailored and Lingerie Waists, 69c, from $2.00.

Fine Silk and Lace Net Waists, $1.98, from $3.98.

Fine Mercerized Rubberized Raincoats, $2.93, value $6.50.

Fine Silk Sicilian Rubberized Raincoats, $6.98, from $10.

Odd Lot High Grade Raincoats at Half Price

All our $1.98, $2.98 and $3.98 Lawn, Percale and Gingham Jumper Dresses, 92c to clean up.

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A good long Corset for 39c, worth 50c.

A regular $1.00 P. N. Corset for 69c.

A regular 75c Corset for 50c.

A good low Summer Corset for 19c.

Odd lot Corsets, 10c, worth 39c.

Fine Corset Covers, lace and ribbon trimmed, 15c, value 25c.

A good heavy Cotton Drawer for 15c a Pair.

Ladies' Low Neck and Short Sleeve Night Robes, 59c, from 85c.

Ladies' Heavy Cotton Night Robes for Friday and Saturday, 29c Each.

50 dozen Ladies' New Flannelette Night Robes, prettily trimmed, heavy good, 39c Each; better than any we have seen for 75c elsewhere.

A good Black Mercerized Petticoat for 29c, worth 50c.

The best White Muslin Skirt, deep Hamburg trimmed, for 49c ever shown.

Children's Dresses, half price to close.

Hosiery, Gloves and Underwear at cut prices.

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BANNARD NAMED

For Mayor by New York Republicans

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—With the announcement from the platform that practically all the fusion and independent forces, with the exception of the independence league, would work in harmony to elect its candidates in the coming municipal election, the republican city convention in Carnegie hall unanimously nominated last night these candidates for the three leading municipal offices:

For mayor—Otto T. Bannard, republican, president of the New York Trust Co., resident of Manhattan borough.

For controller—Wm. A. Prendergast, republican, for many years president of the Credit Men's National association; resident of Brooklyn.

For president of the board of aldermen—John Purroy Mitchell, independent democrat, present commissioner of accounts; resident of Manhattan.

Mr. Bannard's name came into the candidacy as a surprise, for he had not been included even in the half dozen or more preliminary possibilities. It was not until after the convention had organized at noon and summarily adjourned while a committee was dispatched for a final conference with the fusion forces in the hope of reaching an agreement upon candidates that his name was presented.

After the conference Timothy L. Woodruff, chairman of the republican state committee, who presided, announced that the committee appointed to confer with the fusionists would report that the candidates nominated by the republicans would receive the support of the independent forces, and with this declaration before the convention the candidates were chosen.

The fusion element is centered in a non-partisan committee of 100, a subcommittee of which has been trying for the past week to agree on candidates. The independence league delegate withdrew from the conference yesterday because the league would not be a party to "bargaining for office," as the dissenting delegate expressed it.

The fusion sub-committee adjourned last night without formally indorsing the republican ticket as selected, but in view of Mr. Woodruff's announcement its support is relied upon.

In the platform adopted yesterday the convention went on record as a merciless critic of "Tammany misrule"; promised broad reforms, a reduction of living expenses by eliminating "the extravagances practiced by the McClellan administration," and an honest and efficient municipal government.

Mr. Bannard is a bachelor, 55 years old. He was born in Brooklyn and was graduated from Yale in 1876.

ANNUAL BANQUET

OF PHILATHEA CLASS OF FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

The annual banquet and election of officers of the Philathea class was held in the vestry of the First Congregational church, Wednesday evening, with a large attendance. The pastor, Rev. B. A. Willmott, the superintendent of the Sunday school, Mr. Arthur Bartlett, and Mrs. Bartlett were the guests of the evening. This class is composed entirely of young ladies, has a membership of about thirty, and is steadily growing owing to the efforts of the teacher, Mrs. B. A. Willmott.

One item of the treasurer's report was that the class has paid during the past year $108.00. That is from November, 1908, to Sept. 1st, 1909, toward the church debt.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Dorothy Wallenthin; vice-president, Belle Robinson; secretary, Bessie L. Worrall; treasurer, Jessie Hanson.

Membership committee—Ethel L. Putnam, chairman; Lydwin Bernier, Jeanie McIntyre, Ella Martel, Lovilla Peabody, Mertie Houston, Grace Thurber, Katherine Williamson, Alice Cochrane.

Visiting committee—Mary Brown, chairman; Winifred Conant, Ruth McGowan, Mary Gunther, Alice French, Louise Bernier, May Upham.

Social committee—Helen Thomas, chairman; Grace Cleaves, Lilla Cutler, Ethel Foster, Ivah Connell, Luella Humphreys, Elizabeth Whipple, Albertine Bernier, Olive Roy.

TAX CONFERENCE

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 24.—The election of officers and the appointment of committees to determine next year's program today ended a four days' session of the International Tax association's conference here. No contests are expected.

I Am Spot Cash King

ANOTHER PHENOMENAL PURCHASE by Mitchell, the tailor, and another unexampled offer to the people of Lowell. The University Tailors, Inc., 30 Kingston St., Boston, New England's leading tailors, to the trade, take my money and give me their woolens. The choicest portion of this very select stock of Worsteds, Cheviots, and Tweed suitings of Meltons, Kerseys and Novelty Overcoatings goes on sale Saturday morning at my Lowell store. I invite you to call and see these classy woolens. If you don't want your Fall suit or overcoat just now make your selection and I will fix it for a late delivery.

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Open Evenings

A "CROWDED CAR"

Interstate Board Asked for Opinion

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—That the interstate commerce commission must promulgate a regulation specifying what constituted a "crowded street car" before the act of congress, approved May 23, 1908, giving the commission jurisdiction over street car lines in the district of Columbia can be enforced, is the substance of a decision handed down yesterday by Judge Mullowney of the district police court. He sustained the motion of the street railroad of the district to quash the information based on evidence as to the overcrowding of street cars, but declined to rule that the act was unconstitutional. Judge Mullowney took the ground that congress laid down general principles as to the overcrowding of street cars depending upon the interstate commerce commission to adopt rules that would specify what constituted overcrowding. Without such regulations he declared it was not possible within the meaning of the law to determine what constitutes overcrowding.

THE PLANET MARS

Nearer Earth Today Than Ever Before

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—Nearer the earth by 15,000,000 miles than it has been for 15 years, the planet Mars today is the object of great interest to the astronomers throughout the world, particularly at the United States naval observatory here. Its average distance from the earth is 50,000,000 miles. Its distance from the earth today was only 35,000,000 miles.

With this proximity of the planet interest will become, even among those who cannot claim to be students of astronomy, all the keener on account of the probability that new discoveries concerning matters Martian will be made.

GENERAL CORBIN

Was Buried in Arlington Cemetery

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—Almost side by side with the bodies of Gen. Lawton and Wirt the body of the late Lieut. Gen. Henry C. Corbin was interred in Arlington national cemetery today in the presence of the members of the distinguished family and many of his personal friends.

The body of Gen. Corbin has rested in the receiving vault of the cemetery since Sept. 10.

The religious services at the grave were conducted by the Rev. W. E. Bender chaplain of the fifteenth cavalry stationed at Fort Meyer, Va.

SPANISH FORCES

HOLD LINE TO FOOT OF MOUNT GURUGA

MELILLA, Sept. 24.—The occupation of clearing and occupying the peninsula north of Melilla continues with little resistance. The Spanish forces now hold an entrenched line from the sea on the west to the foot hills of Mount Guruga to prevent the Moors from getting to their rear, and they have occupied also an important strategic position at Nador to the southward. This is preliminary to the real work of outflanking the Moors upon Mount Guruga.

RHEUMATISM

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FALL OPENING

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COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS

Heard Many Claimants for Damages Against the City

A rather lengthy meeting of the committee on claims was held last night in the common council chamber, Alderman [illegible] presiding. In all there were [illegible] claims heard, the majority of them were of a minor nature.

Mrs. Annie Doran claimed that she suffered personal injuries as a result of a defective sidewalk on [illegible] street. Dr. Meagher testified as to the nature of the injuries received by Mrs. Doran. She was represented by Gardner W. Pearson.

Thomas Callahan asked for damages because of personal injuries received by falling on a defective sidewalk on Coburn street.

John Moran asked damages for injuries caused by a falling stone while he was working for the city in the Oaklands sewer. W. A. Hogan appeared for him. [illegible] he resulted from his injuries, he said.

William Clark asked damages for a broken leg by falling on [illegible] Middlesex street.

Isabella Scallion asked damages because of acute nervousness, caused by being hit by a stream of water. It was while she was walking in [illegible] street, while city employes were fixing a hydrant. William F. Curtin appeared for her.

Gardner W. Pearson and James N. Greig, as commanding officers of Companies C and K of the Sixth regiment, M. V. M., appeared as petitioners for the payment of $[illegible] and $199.85 for target hire and transportation at the Dracut rifle range. Mr. Pearson said that the companies had [illegible] bills and asked the city to reimburse them. Capt. Greig stated that the understanding at the state house [illegible] that the city must be fined unless it pays the bills of the military companies.

[illegible] H. Shepard and Henry C. [illegible] petitioned for the abatement of taxes for the years 1906 and 1907. Mr. [illegible] appeared and asked the return of $[illegible] money which had been [illegible] property not owned by petitioners.

[illegible] A. Connors asked for damages because of personal injuries received while employed in the street department, and alleged to have been caused by the defective condition of [illegible] avenue near Lakeview avenue. [illegible] Pearson appeared for petitioner. No witnesses were heard. Mr. Pearson is only asking for the payment of the [illegible] in 1907.

Bertha Pfeifer and Mrs. Alice C. Pfeifer claimed that they were entitled to damages owing to the fact that they had suffered from sickness caused by the overflowing of water into the cellar at their home, 53 Stratham street. James Healey, a letter carrier, said that the water had been forced into his cellar.

Sarah A. Wood petitioned for damages because of injuries caused by stepping into a trench in the northerly side of Hildreth street. Mrs. Wood claimed that she was thrown heavily against a telephone pole breaking her right arm.

Mrs. Mary J. Allen asked damages for injuries caused by ice and snow, [illegible] Suffolk street, Dec. 29, 1908. Dr. Bartlett said Mrs. Allen's leg was fractured. His bill was $42 he said.

Mrs. Catherine Kelley broke her right wrist Dec. 12 last, by falling on the ice and snow in Merrimack street. She asked damages. Dr. T. J. Halloran attended Mrs. Kelley.

MANAGER OF BOSTON AND TWO STAR PITCHERS WHO WILL OPPOSE EACH OTHER SHORTLY

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—While the fight for the banner in the National league is practically settled, the battle for first place in the American league is still being waged fiercely between the Detroit Tigers and the Philadelphia Athletics, with the outcome in some doubt, due to the fact that the latter team will wind up the season at home, while Detroit must play out the string in the enemy's country. The Athletics gained a little ground by winning three out of four games from Detroit recently, and now much depends upon the New York-Detroit series to be played Sept. 24, 25, 27 and 28 and the Boston-Detroit games Sept. 29, 30 and Oct. 1. Both the Yankees and the Red Sox are putting up a first class article of ball, and as these two teams have proved a thorn in the side of the Tigers all season the coming series may rob them of a chance to establish a new record in the junior organization—that of winning the banner three consecutive times. Philadelphia will play four games with Cleveland, starting Sept. 24 and later Connie Mack's men will tackle the Chicago White Sox for three games, and as a windup to the season of 1909 the Athletics will stack up against Washington. All in all it looks like a toss up with take your pick between the two teams for the banner. Cicotte, the Boston's star pitcher, has proved himself to be one of the cleverest twirlers in the American league this season. He has any number of curves and good control. Willetts of the Tigers has improved over 1908 form, and has been taking his turn regularly in the box. Great credit must be given to Fred Lake, manager of the Bostons. Early in the season he took charge of what was called the Joke club of the league and whipped them into a near championship team. Next season he will surely be heard from. Scene shows Ty Cobb of the Tigers making a sensational slide for home plate in a recent Philadelphia-Detroit game.

GREAT CHANGE

In Interior Decorations in Court House

Lawyers, reporters and others who have had occasion to visit the court house in Gorham street within the last few weeks have had more or less to say about the newness of its appearance. The very refreshing change which has taken place in the appearance of the court house on the hill is due to the painters' brush and the skill of the painter. The new court house is quite a splendid building but until recently the painter had never done justice to its interior. Heretofore it seemed as if he struggled with his brush; as though he felt the coming of seasons of weariness and darkness.

The last painter was more optimistic. Even in the criminal court he painted a ray of sunshine yet there is no lack of harmony. The bright fancy of the painter flits with the great stillness of the room as if he would have gladness instead of sorrow.

There was one thing that the writer, who visited the court house but yesterday was glad to learn. Practically unacquainted with the painters and decorators throughout the city, the thought that the work had been done by painters from out of town pushed itself along its thinking wires and he made inquiry concerning it. As to the belief that the work was done by Boston or other out of town parties he was quickly disillusioned. The work was done by Dwyer & Co., painters and decorators. Their place of business is at 47 Andover street, and the court house job is a credit to them.

The interior of the court house from the front door to the last room on the last floor is a symphony of color. All of the rooms are pretty and inviting in their new coats of paint and the color scheme is perfect. Ivory white trimmings predominate and the warm buff color of the wall harmonizes with the purity of the ceilings. Then comes the relief of the gray blue panel, the pretty contrast of the pale green and ivory with here and there a companion piece of old rose. A great many of the combinations are entirely original and decidedly pleasing to the eye. All of the individual colors are perfect, and they have been artistically assembled.

One of the court officers who came to Lowell a few days ago and who remained while the court was in session, is quoted as saying that the interior of the court room in Gorham street, so far as painting is concerned, is more artistically done than any court house he has seen in many moons. "A triumph of colors" was the way he expressed it.

DIAMOND NOTES

Hugh Jennings denies that he has been dickering with the owners of the Philadelphia Nationals. But admits that when his contract as manager of the Detroits expires at the end of the season he will be able to consider propositions from Philadelphia or any other club. As Jennings has made the Detroit club a money maker it is not probable that he will be allowed to get away by President Navin. Friends of Jennings say he thinks he is worth a salary of $10,000 a year and is also anxious to remain at the head of the Tigers. The Philadelphia club's owners admit that they want Jennings, which would seem to indicate that Felix Isman's plan to secure Mike Donlin as Billy Murray's successor has been sidetracked. Donlin, by the way, has stated openly within the last two weeks that he will never play ball again and that he does not care for a managerial berth.

As Pittsburg has apparently clinched the National league pennant President Dreyfuss is making arrangements for the accommodation of 50,000 persons at Forbes Field. He is also willing to reduce the general rate of admission to the world's series games in Pittsburg, especially if the Athletics are the contenders for the championship. In Philadelphia the admission to the open stands is 25 cents, while the grand stand tariff is double that sum. For that reason Dreyfuss says Pitts' patrons should be similarly treated if his team plays the Quakers. But if Detroit takes part in the series the regular rates will prevail. As a matter of fact the National commission has the sole right to fix the prices, and it is believed that it is opposed to a reduction under any circumstances.

Catcher Gibson of the Pittsburgs has broken the record for consecutive games behind the bat. He has caught in every game played by the Pirates, with one exception this season, and is determined to catch on the job right through to the end of the world's series unless he is injured.

The Highlanders will play two games with the Chicago White Sox today, and if they win [illegible] percentage will be Chicago .[illegible] and New York .[illegible], Sox being just one and a half games ahead of the [illegible]. Stallings said yesterday that the Highlanders realized the task set before them, but were determined to finish in fourth place. It is the opinion of all judges that Earl Gardner at second base has just about "made" the High Sox who have lost many games this year because the keystone of the diamond has been improperly cared for.

Chicago critics say that McGraw has secured a promising young pitcher in Klawitter, who came from the Texas league. He made his first major league appearance against the Cubs on Monday after Marquard had been benched and showed plenty of speed, nerve. He displayed good judgment at crucial periods and altogether made an excellent impression. Mr. [illegible] was so well pleased with the young man's work that he promised to let him pitch a whole game at St. Louis.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

What promises to be a good game will be played on the South common, Saturday afternoon between the [illegible] and [illegible], as each team has won a game this will be for the rubber. Batteries will be: [illegible] and Sturtevant for [illegible]; Wheeler and Deforge for the Dewey's. Game called at 3 o'clock.

The second game in the series between the Mt. [illegible] and Y. M. C. A. will be played Saturday, Sept. 25, at 3 p. m. This game should be a hot one. The first resulted in a win for the Y. M. C. A. by the score of 8 to 7, but the Mt. [illegible] say their luck will not save the Y. M. C. A. next time. The game should be well worth witnessing.

FOOTBALL NOTES

Early straws show which way the wind blows, what the football coaches hope for and fear.

The attention the ends are receiving at the Soldiers Field is significant. Of course, to get the ends in condition is always the first move in the game. But there is another reason. That Cornell team will go to Boston depending on speed. They go in for speed at Ithaca. With no Walder in the game this year, it will be speed on which Cornell must depend. And Cornell comes first, before Dartmouth, before Yale.

To stop Marks of Dartmouth behind Capt. Tobin, to stop Capt. Coy of Yale behind Andrus and Goebel, Harvard will want a certain trio too. But Cornell comes first.

Straws are blowing at New Haven too. They are searching for brains. The quarter-back hunt is the absorbing problem there. Yale's team had the goods last fall. But the delivery wagon was lacking.

At Princeton they are working the men hard. They want eleven men who can play through a game at the championship gait.

At Hanover they have pressed into service their basketball players, men whose sporting instinct enables them to anticipate and block short snappy passes, men whose training has been along those same lines. They remember at Hanover how Capt. Fish of Harvard defeated them last fall by receiving a forward pass in an attitude which Walter Camp describes as "unconventional." A pass which, they say at Hanover, should have been intercepted.

The straws show.

Unless the cares of the captaincy ruin a wonderful player, or unless his match is wonderfully discovered elsewhere, Capt. Miller of Pennsylvania will generally receive the "All-American" distinction this fall, which a few of the critics gave him on the strength of his play in less than a full game against Cornell a year ago. The red and blue has a remarkable collection of quarter-backs with Hutchinson, Johnson and the Thayer brothers to draw from in addition to the captain, but unless Miller played far beyond his natural best in that Cornell game he is far and away the king of them all.

At Philadelphia they call Gaston, who is assisting with the coaching at Franklin Field, "the best coached tackle that ever played at Pennsylvania." In his four years of service with the 'varsity some bright and shining lights taught Gaston the lore which he will now endeavor to hand down undimmed.

An absurd rumor circulates to the effect that Yale will develop two teams this year, one for the minor games, another for the big games. Undoubtedly it may be necessary to let Capt. Coy, Naedele and Kilpatrick get into condition slowly, but if Yale does not line up her eleven in the practise games as it will line up against Harvard and the Tigers, then so much the worse for Yale. Here is the full list of "veterans" who will be reserved for the big games" (presumably in cotton wool): Kilpatrick, Brown, Naedele, Johnson, Corey, Philbin, Daly, Capt. Coy."

The use of the dive tackle limited at Harvard, at the conclusion at Dartmouth and elsewhere to kick to pick up the ball on the run instead of falling on it, are indications of the essential modification in standards of play for which "new football" is responsible.

BOXING GOSSIP

More stories were told recently which if true lend color to the belief that the Ketchel-Langford fiasco was the result of a plot hatched by rival promoters and aided by persons supposed to be friendly disposed toward Ketchel. An influential politician whose veracity there seems to be no reason for doubting is responsible for the statement that last week just before the Fairmont club called the big bout off Willus Britt told him confidentially that Ketchel had no chance to defeat Langford as one of his hands had been seriously injured while training. According to this man's story Britt said it was the same hand Ketchel "broke" in the recent battle with Papke in California. This information, coming from the hall, is said to have caused certain wise men about town to [illegible] wagers on [illegible] Ketchel [illegible] to remain [illegible].

Joe Woodman, Langford's manager, declares that the opposition to the bout was due to indirect influence exerted by persons who feared that Ketchel would be defeated and that in his opinion other persons who were jealous of the Fairmont club rendered assistance in having the attention of Gov. Hughes called to the bout. From Ketchel and Britt, who are on their way to California, comes the alleged declaration that if Ketchel defeats Jack Johnson on Oct. 12 at Colma he will promptly draw the color line by refusing to take Langford under any circumstances. Persons who know Ketchel said yesterday that they did not believe he was afraid to tackle Langford here and was much disappointed when the bout was declared off. They also declare that if allowed to have his own way Ketchel would willingly settle his differences with Langford, win or lose in the coming battle with Johnson. Meanwhile the impression on the coast grows stronger that Johnson will beat Ketchel as easily as he trimmed Kaufman. The betting on the coast is [illegible] that Johnson will win [illegible] twenty rounds and [illegible] that Ketchel will be put to sleep. If Ketchel's bout with Langford had been allowed and the Michigan man had been decisively [illegible] in the bout with Johnson would have been [illegible], but as it is now ring experts with few exceptions believe that the Johnson-Ketchel fight will be one sided all the way.

[illegible] was recently seen at Carlsbad by a New Yorker who returned here on Tuesday with the report that the [illegible] is having some trouble with his right [illegible]. [illegible] yesterday that [illegible] had [illegible] and [illegible] the waters of the [illegible] to cure his [illegible]. He [illegible] in [illegible] to [illegible] boxing or gymnasium work. He has been going to bed at 9 p. m. [illegible] up with the [illegible]. [illegible] New Yorker, [illegible] to [illegible] his [illegible] he was [illegible]. But the big fellow refused to be weighed. He said he was down to about 224 pounds but [illegible] that [illegible] fully [illegible] to fight [illegible] he did not say whether [illegible] from [illegible] the date of his departure for this country. He admitted however, that Sam Berger [illegible] him to sign [illegible] for the [illegible].

RED SOX LOSE

Cleveland Won Final Game by Score of 7-3

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—Cleveland won the last game of the series yesterday 7 to 3. Able, another recruit, pitched and was a puzzle to the locals except in one inning. Hall started off well, but was hit hard in three innings. The game was remarkably well played, in view of the fact that the field was very muddy and wet. The score:

CLEVELAND

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Riley, lf	4	2	1	0	0	0
Stovall, 1b	5	1	2	[illegible]	0	0
Hinchman, rf	5	1	2	1	0	0
Lajoie, 2b	4	2	3	0	[illegible]	0
Birmingham, cf	4	1	3	3	0	0
Clarke, c	3	0	2	7	1	0
Bradley, 3b	3	0	1	1	2	0
Stark, ss	4	0	1	2	3	0
Able, p	4	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	36	7	15	27	13	0

BOSTON

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Niles, lf	[illegible]	1	1	[illegible]	0	0
Lord, 3b	[illegible]	1	1	1	[illegible]	0
Speaker, cf	3	1	2	2	0	0
French, ss	4	0	0	0	[illegible]	0
Stahl, 1b	4	0	2	11	1	0
McConnell, 2b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Howard, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Madden, c	4	0	1	[illegible]	[illegible]	0
Hall, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Donohue, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Matthews, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	34	3	[illegible]	27	10	0

x—Batted for Hall in the [illegible].

Cleveland	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	1	[illegible]	—7
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	[illegible]	—3

Two base hits—Stovall, [illegible]. [illegible] run—Speaker. Hits—Off Hall [illegible] innings; off Matthews 1 in 1 inning. Sacrifice hit—Clarke. Sacrifice fly—Bradley. Stolen bases—Stovall, Riley. Left on bases—Cleveland [illegible], Boston [illegible]. First base on balls—Off Able [illegible], off Matthews 2. Struck out—By Hall [illegible], by Able 7, by Matthews 1. Passed ball—Clarke. Time—1.40. Umpires—[illegible] and Sheridan.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Detroit	92	[illegible]	[illegible]
Philadelphia	89	53	[illegible]
Boston	83	63	[illegible]
Chicago	70	72	[illegible]
New York	68	75	[illegible]
Cleveland	69	75	[illegible]
St. Louis	60	82	[illegible]
Washington	39	104	.273

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS

Cleveland 7, Boston 3.
Detroit 8, Washington 1.
Philadelphia 6, St. Louis 2.
New York 4, Chicago 2 [illegible].
New York 7, Chicago 1 [illegible].

AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES TODAY

St. Louis at Boston.
Detroit at New York.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Washington.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING

Pittsburg [illegible]
Chicago [illegible]
New York [illegible]
Cincinnati [illegible]
Philadelphia [illegible]
St. Louis [illegible]
Brooklyn [illegible]
Boston [illegible]

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS

Philadelphia [illegible], Chicago [illegible].
Brooklyn 4, Chicago [illegible].
Chicago 4, Brooklyn [illegible].
New York 5, St. Louis [illegible].
New York [illegible], St. Louis [illegible].
[illegible]

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES TODAY

Boston at Chicago.
New York at Cincinnati.
Philadelphia at Pittsburg.
Brooklyn at St. Louis.

O'KEEFE BEATEN

YOUNG ERNE WAS GIVEN THE DECISION

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24.—[illegible] the cleverest lightweights in [illegible] Tommy O'Keefe and Young Erne met in the windup at the Broadway Athletic club last night. At the end of the sixth round Erne was entitled to the decision.

At the middle of the fifth round honors were even; in fact, O'Keefe had outboxed the veteran. Toward the close of the fifth Erne landed a wicked right hand punch under his opponent's heart and the latter went down. Erne quickly took advantage of his opponent's weakened condition from the effect of the heart blow and landed rights and lefts to the body and jaw, causing O'Keefe to clinch to save himself from punishment in the sixth.

ENTERTAINING BOUTS

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—The Mishiwam A. C. of Charlestown entertained about 500 members at its rooms last night with a boxing program and vaudeville entertainment. The boxing bouts were fast and interesting. The feature bout, between Henry Miers and Jack Williams, a six round affair, was spirited, and resulted with the boys sharing honors for points at the end. Tommy Costello and Willie Murray went four rounds to a draw; Jack Lee and Young Madden boxed a draw and Young Fitzgerald had all the better of Jack Moir, a little English boxer.

McGANN WINS PRIVATE BOUT

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 24.—In a private bout for a $500 side bet near here yesterday afternoon Hugh McGann, the clever Indianapolis light heavyweight, who a few months ago put up such a great battle against Stanley Ketchel in Pittsburg, knocked out Tom Rogers, heavyweight champion of Canada, in two rounds. While the fight did not last long, it was a fierce one.

THEFT CHARGED

Youth Caught After a Long Chase

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—George Gordon Earle, 19 years old, of Dwight street, was arrested yesterday after an exciting chase through Milk street to India street, pursued by Mounted Officer Connolly, an unmounted officer and a [illegible] people.

Earle's companion, who was also followed for some distance by the crowd, dodged into a building and escaped.

Earle was arrested on the charge of the larceny of fire extinguishers from the buildings at 119 and 125 Milk street. It is claimed 13 extinguishers, valued at $10 each, have been taken from these premises within a month.

Yesterday Earle and his companion [illegible] the building at 125 Milk street [illegible] up to the [illegible] stairs, where [illegible] the extinguishers, [illegible] and left the building [illegible] of people.

[illegible] who had seen Earle [illegible] was [illegible] The [illegible] after [illegible].

FINGER INJURED

A. W. McDONALD MET WITH AN ACCIDENT

[illegible]

[illegible] hospital.

A STRANGE CASE

Woman in a State of Coma

WHITMAN, Sept. 24.—The medical fraternity in this vicinity is interested in the case of Mrs. Luke Gorman of Beulah street, who has been in a comatose condition for nearly three weeks. In spite of every effort on the part of the physicians, the disease fails to respond to treatment.

Mrs. Gorman is 51 years of age, and up to the time she was stricken with the disease was in excellent health. She is aroused with considerable difficulty to take nourishment, and as soon as she takes a few mouthfuls of food she relapses into a state of coma.

The physicians say that she is perfectly conscious of surrounding conditions, but that she is in a cataleptic state, and they say it is impossible to determine how long it will last.

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WILLIAM J. COOK

Sentenced for Stealing From His Father

LAWRENCE, Sept. 24.—In superior court yesterday Judge Hardy sentenced William J. Cook of Amesbury to the Concord reformatory on the charge of larceny of $500 from the defendant's father. The case of Michael P. Flanagan, who was convicted of receiving a part of the money, was continued a year to allow him a chance to make restitution.

Matthew [illegible] of Lawrence [illegible] a bank [illegible] and drew $[illegible] belonging to a relative, was placed on probation. Most of the money was recovered. Daniel Scannell was convicted of the charge of stealing a number of tools from buildings in Haverhill. He got four months.

Albert A. Dudley admitted his guilt of the charge of breaking and entering in Beverly. A number of convictions was introduced against him. He was sentenced to [illegible] months in the house of correction.

Isaiah W. [illegible] was committed for three months on the charge of [illegible] and entering [illegible].

James H. [illegible], John H. Sweeney and [illegible] were placed on trial on the charge of breaking and entering the house of Mrs. Harriet [illegible]. An additional charge of [illegible] was also heard against [illegible]. The alleged victim was a daughter of Mrs. [illegible], the [illegible] of the house [illegible].

[illegible] was convicted of larceny of $[illegible] from a Polish woman [illegible] was committed for six [illegible] returned a verdict [illegible] Pasquale Russo, [illegible] and entering a [illegible].

[illegible] was sentenced to the [illegible].

LOWELL BOY

GETS POSITION WITH CANADIAN NORTHERN RAILWAY

[illegible]

DES MOINES CHARTER

W[illegible] a reporter for the Des Moines News, has been visiting his cousin, Robert M. Wescott, in this city for the past few days. Mr. [illegible] speaks very interestingly of the Des Moines charter which puts the administration in the hands of a commission. He [illegible] at the [illegible] return to the old form of government.

LARCENY OF GAS

Is the Charge Against Annie Manley

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—Charged with the larceny of 66,000 cubic feet of illuminating gas, valued at $52.80, Annie L. Manley of 28 Holyoke street, South End, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Special Officer Wm. J. Irwin of the South End police station. Two years ago Mrs. Manley gained considerable notoriety when she figured as complainant in a suit for breach of promise, returned against Prof. Marcou [illegible] of Harvard.

The gas company agents say that since February somebody has been tampering with the property of the company at 28 Holyoke street. The meter had been disconnected, and any gas that was burned in the house was, they assert, done so illegally. Agents Ernest Barker and John Hyde of the company were assigned to watch the house after it was learned that gas was being burned there.

They say that in making an investigation they discovered that somebody had attached a rubber tube between the [illegible] line and the house piping, [illegible] the store where the meter should be, the latter having been removed.

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SHE SHOT HERSELF

Unusual Circumstances Surround Death of Girl at Woodberry, N. J.

WOODBERRY, N. J., Sept. 24.—Unusual circumstances surround the supposed suicide today by shooting of Helen Brayton, aged 19 years, who was found fatally wounded in the residence of her uncle with whom she made her home. The uncle, H. C. Brown, is on a gunning trip in Maine and her aunt is on a visit in Atlantic City. Three hours before the shooting Miss Brayton awakened her cousin, Harry Brown, 15 years old, and told him a strange man had been in her bedroom. The boy, who was alone with the girl in the house, finding no intruder returned to bed. He was awakened later by the groans of the girl and going to her room found her in bed with a bullet wound in the head. A revolver was found in the room. Young Brown gave an alarm but the girl died soon afterwards. When young Brown was first awakened by the girl to look for the supposed intruder, he secured a revolver and searched the house and when he returned to bed he placed the weapon upon his pillow. When the boy fell asleep the girl, it is supposed, went to his room, secured the revolver and returning to her apartment shot herself. A coroner's inquest was held later in the day and a verdict was returned that the girl killed herself.

INTERURBAN ROAD HEARING

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—Another delegation of Lawrence and Lowell business men appeared before the railroad commission today to testify to the effect which a new high-powered electric road would have on the financial securities outstanding on the Boston & Maine and Boston & Northern companies. It was the generally expressed opinion that the road would be a detriment to none and a boon to many.

DEATH WAS SURE

So Man Tried to Hurry it Along

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—"Boys, we're ill, and not a one of us has a chance to live!" shouted Michael Corbett, a patient in ward 13 of Bellevue hospital last night.

The attendant was out of the room for a moment, and no one was there but the patients, nearly fifty of them.

"I'm going to end it!" Corbett went on. "What's the use of living this way?"

He drew from between his mattresses a razor, and with this in his hand he jumped out of bed and ran to the end of the ward, flourishing the blade over his head.

The other patients yelled for the nurse. Joseph Kirk and several others got out of their beds and ran toward Corbett. But before they or Kirk could get to him he had drawn the razor across his throat and then slashed his left wrist.

He was carried to the operating room and the wounds were stitched up, but there had been a slight incision of the jugular vein and the doctors believed that this would cause death. He was in a critical condition late last night. Some of the other patients were so badly affected that they required special treatment.

Corbett had been in the hospital since April, 1908. When he arrived he was told that most likely his malady would prove fatal. He grew to be very well liked by his fellow-sufferers, and lately had seemed in fairly good health, but for several days he had been brooding over the prospect of spending the rest of his days in the hospital.

BLAMES HUSBAND

Woman Says That He Threw Eggs

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Joseph E. Rodgers, an ink manufacturer of 152 East Twenty-seventh street, brought his wife, Annie, and six-year-old daughter, Grace Ainsler Rodgers, who are living at 28 Third street, Brooklyn, before Supreme Court Justice Amend yesterday on a writ of habeas corpus to try to get possession of the child. He said that the mother is restraining the little girl of her liberty.

Mrs. Rodgers said that her husband left her last February because she objected to having his sister Josephine who had been living with them, run the household. She said that her husband used violent language in the domestic troubles over his sister and accordingly is not a proper person for the little girl to live with. She said that he threw eggs at her once when Grace was sitting on her lap and both she and the child were struck.

The court reserved decision.

TYPHOID CASES

Were Due to One Farm Milk

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—There was such a marked decrease in the number of typhoid cases reported during the past seven days that officials of the health department feel confident the spread is over and that the return's will show only the average numbers for this time of year.

By systematic work the cause was traced to milk, and prompt measures, taken immediately, brought about the bettering of conditions.

Inspectors learned that in every case the milk was produced from the same dairy. Then close watch was placed upon all milk handled by this concern, a small company doing business only in that section, and the sources from which the milk was obtained were looked up. Results were soon obtained, and the milk containing typhoid germs was traced to cans from one particular farm up New York state. An agent was then sent to investigate conditions up there, and his report has just been brought in. In substance it is as follows:

Investigation disclosed that one of the milkmen on this farm was stricken with typhoid fever about a month ago. He was attended by the physician from the nearby village, but the case was not reported to the state board of health. Consequently, this farm was not quarantined, and the milk continued to be shipped to the city. There is no doubt that he suffered many days before being forced to quit his work, and even when sick he lived in the same bunk house with other milkers.

NINE MISSING

FROM THE UNITED STATES CRUISER SALEM

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Ensign W. F. Jacobs, on the scout cruiser Salem, anchored off Dyckman street, reported to the police of the West 152d street station at 11 o'clock last night that nine men of the crew were missing, with a ship's cutter, and asked the police to notify the Dobbs Ferry and Yonkers authorities.

According to the officer, the men secured permission to take the cutter and go for a trip up the river. They left at 1.30 with orders to return to the vessel at 4.30, and were instructed not to land at any point.

Ensign Jacobs told the police that he would be at the Dyckman street landing until 11.30 o'clock. If the men did not arrive at that hour the search would be put over until today, when word will be sent to every [illegible] on the Hudson.

The cutter is painted [illegible] and is labeled in [illegible] and [illegible] the initial "S" for Salem.

The Yonkers police sent men to every possible landing place along the [illegible] bank, and as far north as Hastings, but at a late hour there had been no word received of the men.

Inquiry was made at all boat [illegible] and of all skippers of [illegible] small craft, but none, it appeared, had heard of any accident, or had seen the Salem cutter.

THE MERRIMACK

Grand Exhibit at Popular Clothing Store

Many hundreds of Lowell men and women are finding the great Merrimack Clothing store a mecca this week, the occasion being the annual fall opening which is always a feature of interest to Lowell citizens.

Although similar affairs held by this well known firm have attracted wide notice, this year's opening promises to break all records in amount of interest shown and the general delight expressed at the remarkable clothes exhibition.

With an enviable record behind it, the Merrimack Clothing company has outdone itself by the elaborate and comprehensive stock of fall and winter goods gotten together especially for this season. The exhibit includes everything in latest and correct designs of wearing apparel for men, women and boys.

The wonderful displays that are to be seen in the windows are the apotheosis of the window dressers' art and the stretch of display along Merrimack and Worthen streets, is something that's worth coming down town to see.

There are few, indeed, who can look upon the gorgeous array of fall offerings set out in these windows without wishing to go inside and take a closer look at the entire stock, and the store was crowded yesterday in every department.

In the women's store are reproductions of imported models (no duplicates in the city) in a never ending assortment of tailored suits and dresses, from which to pick. Some coats are half fitting, others close fitting and severe in fashionable French diagonals, homespuns and camel's hair cheviots. Other models are more elaborately trimmed with rich braid designs and fancy buttons, shown in rich broadcloths of all shades.

Some of the new colors shown are the new rasin blue, nut brown, rose, corn, egg plant and artichoke green. The coat skirts are all shown in plaited effects.

A department of particular interest to shoppers is the waist section where a beautiful array of silk, lingerie and tailored waists is shown. Many are hand made models and show the new sleeves with tailored effects in all the latest colors.

The men's store display eclipsed all previous showings with the hundreds of exclusive patterns of suitings and overcoatings. In this department one saw a collection of the best that New York designers have to offer in men's and young men's apparel.

Rough and semi-rough cheviots, together with shadow stripe materials and two-toned effects are considered the most nobby this season.

The hat, furnishings and boys' departments also shared equally in the general buyers' interest with their up-to-date showing of all the latest styles for dressers of good taste.

IGNORES MOTHER

Girl Selects Nurse as Her Guardian

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—Ellen Wassall, 15 years old, daughter of Dr. Joseph Wassall, who was washed overboard from the yacht Mistral and drowned in Lake Michigan, Sept. 18, filed a petition in the superior court yesterday asking that Agnes L. Hellmuth, who has been her nurse and her father's housekeeper for three years, be appointed her guardian. This means that her mother, Mrs. Grace Chadbourne, former wife of the dentist, will not gain custody of the girl, for under the Illinois law any minor over 14 years old can choose his or her guardian.

A copy of the dentist's will is attached to the petition, and in this the girl is given all but $1000 of her father's estate.

The son, Joseph Wassall, Jr., is given only $1000. Dr. Wassall explains in his will that the small amount is not because of any dislike for his son, but for the reason that his daughter is more in need of support.

The girl will enjoy the income of an estate valued at $50,000 until she becomes 25 years old, when the principal will be paid her.

In the petition the girl says that she has seen little of her mother in the last three years, while she has been constantly in the company of Agnes L. Hellmuth.

Mrs. Chadbourne, who is the wife of Thomas L. Chadbourne, 145 West 58th street, New York, recently stated that she would take her daughter home with her, if the provisions of Dr. Wassall's will did not interfere.

RAIN PREVENTED MATCH

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24.—Rain today prevented the opening of the rival cricket match in this city between the Gentlemen of Ireland and the Gentlemen of Philadelphia. The match will be started tomorrow.

LEE McCLUNG

WILL ACCEPT OFFICE OF U. S. TREASURER

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 24.—Lee McClung, treasurer of Yale university, announced today that he would accept the tender of the United States treasurership and his resignation at Yale would take effect Nov. 1.

ALDERMAN TURNER

ASKS SOLICITOR FOR AN OPINION

Alderman John D. Turner, the chairman of the committee on accounts, has asked the city solicitor [illegible] opinion relative [illegible] and scope of the authority of [illegible] auditor of accounts.

CONCERN IS FELT

For the Safety of Presidents Taft and Diaz

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—As a result of the publication of a despatch from El Paso, Tex., that a bomb had been discovered in Juarez, Mexico, just across the American border, the point which President Taft will visit on October 16 when he steps over the line to extend greetings to President Diaz, it has been disclosed that the most elaborate precautions have been taken to safeguard the lives of the two executives. Secret service officials have been busy for many weeks in perfecting arrangements looking to the safety of the persons of Mr. Taft and Gen. Diaz on this side of the boundary.

The program for the meeting of the two presidents provides that President Diaz shall drive across the international bridge from Juarez and be received by President Taft in El Paso. After a brief visit there President Diaz will be accompanied to Mexican soil by President Taft.

This will be the second time that an American president has set foot on foreign territory in his term of office. On his trip to the Canal Zone President Roosevelt spent three hours in Panama as the guest of President Amador. In 1901 President McKinley visited El Paso, but he went no farther toward Mexico than the middle of the bridge across the Rio Grande at that point.

CAPTAIN EVANS

Tells Story of Alleged Abandonment of Surgeon Trotter

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Sept. 24.—The story of the alleged abandonment of Surgeon Trotter, who was later drowned, and of Captain Thomas Evans, who was saved, following the capsizing of the naval tug Nezinscot off Cape Ann a month ago, was told by Capt. Evans as a witness before the court martial which today began taking testimony in the cases of the five members of the crew charged with negligence and cowardice. The men on trial are Chief Boatswain's Mate Frank R. Bitter, Chief Machinist's Mate George Pratt, Seamen F. Tillotson and W. H. Fitzgerald, and Fireman C. F. Underwood.

Captain Evans told of leaving the Portsmouth navy yard with a load of anchors which later proved too heavy for the tug and of the capsizing off Halibut point, Cape Ann. He said that the members of the crew launched the tug's boats leaving Captain Evans, Surgeon Trotter and others to their fate. They clung to a piece of wreckage for a time when Surgeon Trotter left to assist his comrade. The last seen of him was when he floated away on the top of a desk.

STOCK MARKET

Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks:

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NEW YORK STOCKS

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Can Pac	[illegible]
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Erie Com	[illegible]
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Great Northern	[illegible]
Illinois	[illegible]
Interboro Railway pfd	[illegible]
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Missouri	[illegible]
National Lead	[illegible]
*No. Pac	[illegible]
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Penn	[illegible]
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People's Gas	[illegible]
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*Reading	[illegible]
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BOSTON STOCKS

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KILLED HIMSELF

On the Grave of His Wife

OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 24.—E. B. Hamilton, aged about 39, thought to be a traveler for a shoe company at 753 Broadway, New York, committed suicide here yesterday by shooting himself on the grave of his young wife at Beechwood cemetery.

Hamilton walked into the cemetery office and asked Mr. Craig, the clerk there, for the bill of cemetery expenses in connection with the burial of his wife there last winter. The account was handed to him. He folded it up, sealed and walked out. A moment later a pistol shot was heard from the direction of that part of the cemetery where Mrs. Hamilton had been buried.

Mr. Craig found the young man lying [illegible] across the grave of his wife [illegible] a wound behind the right ear. A brief examination revealed that [illegible] was extinct.

[illegible] Miss Rita [illegible] of Ottawa [illegible] a year ago. The [illegible] died [illegible] month after [illegible] hospital never recov[illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] He will be buried [illegible]

DRILL WAS HELD

By the Holy Name Society Last Night

[illegible]

KNOWS THE BIBLE

Convict Has 45 Chapters Memorized

ATLANTA, Sept. 24.—With visions of the gallows constantly before him for more than two years, John Harper, convicted of killing Sheriff Keith of Murray county, who for the seventh time has just been respited by Gov. Brown until Oct. 8, has memorized 45 chapters in the Bible, as well as many odd verses.

Harper was brought to Atlanta for safe keeping after his conviction. Under the influence of a number of the King's Daughters he professed conversion months ago, and since that time his Bible has been his close companion. He reads it practically all the time.

Harper is now memorizing two more chapters, it having been his purpose to build a record of 50 chapters by Friday, the day on which he would have been hanged had not Gov. Brown interfered.

Since he was tried, on Aug. 14, 1907, for killing Sheriff Keith he had three times undergone the ordeal of hearing the death sentence pronounced and seven different times has been respited by the governor when it seemed that his execution was almost certain.

The last respite was granted because Harper's attorneys claimed they had discovered new evidence favorable to the prisoner.

FUNERALS

PIRA—The funeral of Cecilia Pira took place at 2.30 this afternoon from the home of her parents, 58 Charles street. Services were held at St. Anthony's church and were conducted by Rev. Fr. Rosa. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery. Undertaker T. J. McDermott in charge.

SAVED MASTER

Man Owes Life to Dog's Intelligence

WILMINGTON, Del., Sept. 24.—To the remarkable intelligence of his setter dog George Bacon, aged forty-five years of No. [illegible] Monroe street, probably owes his life. While gunning he was attacked by vertigo and fell unconscious upon the banks of the Christiana river, close to the water. The dog ran to this city, and by its actions and barking attracted the attention of some men, who decided to follow the animal.

The dog took them to where its master was lying, and they were none too soon, for the rising tide soon would have engulfed and drowned him as he lay unconscious. A cab was summoned and Bacon was taken home. Only a few days ago he refused an offer of $[illegible] for the dog.

ENTERTAINED HIS CLERKS

Mr. William J. Brady, who has been conducting the shoe store at 42 Central street, entertained his clerks last evening with a banquet at a local hotel, after which there was a theatre party. Mr. Brady has pulled up stakes in Lowell and removed to Boston, where he has opened a large retail shoe store. His only reason for leaving Lowell was on account of being unable to secure a larger store in the down-town section, his business having outgrown his Central street establishment and Mr. Brady is not the kind of a merchant who "stands still."

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

TO ISSUE $40,000,000 OF STOCK

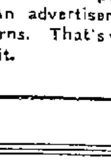
NEW HAVEN, Sept. 24.—The call for the special meeting of stockholders of the New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co. on October 27 which will be given tomorrow will state that it is to ask approval of the proposal to issue $40,000,000 additional capital stock. The new stock, it is understood, is to be used in part in retiring notes which are to mature in the near future and for betterment work. It is thought that the notes to be retired amount to $13,500,000.

No further announcement except that of the call for a meeting is given out at the offices of the company at this time.

STEAMER UTSTEIN PROBABLY LOST

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 24.—Fears are entertained here for the safety of the Central American Steamship Co.'s steamer Utstein, due here last Monday from Port Cortez, Honduras. The Utstein is believed to have encountered the hurricane in the gulf of Mexico.

OPEN TO ALL



THE SUN classified columns are open to all at the small cost of one cent a word for three insertions. An advertisement placed in The Sun today will be printed in over 16,000 papers, aggregating nearly 50,000 papers in three days.

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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

The long list of damage claims brought before the committee on claims recently indicates a dangerous condition of our streets or else a lot of misrepresentation by the people supposed to be injured.

NO TUBERCULOSIS GERMS AT THE POLE.

The latest suggestion as to the utility of the North pole comes from the surgeon of the Peary party who says that the air of the polar regions is adapted for the cure of tuberculosis. The doctors have been sending cases to warmer climates but this is the first announcement that they would recuperate equally well in the intense cold of the polar regions.

REBUFF TO CERTAIN VAUDEVILLE ACTORS.

For some time past there has been a tendency among vaudeville actors to single out somebody in the audience as a butt for derisive laughter. In Philadelphia recently an actor got into trouble by flashing a spotlight upon a young woman sitting with her husband in the audience as the comedian sang "There's Class to a Girl Like That." It seems there was class to the husband also for he jumped upon the stage and punched the comedian. He was taken to court and the judge, a Philadelphia lawyer at that, decided that the man was justified in thus defending his wife.

THE DEATH OF ROBERT HOE.

Few inventions of modern times have done more for civilization than the perfected printing press; and no man was more closely identified with the development and perfection of the rotary press than Robert Hoe, who died in London the other day.

It was Robert Hoe, his grandfather, who two generations ago produced the idea that ultimately developed into the marvelous printing press of today. It was the elder Robert Hoe who originated the idea of the cylindrical printing press which is the basis of the monstrous presses that run off the greatest newspapers in the world today.

But for the Hoe press the recent revolution in the newspaper business by which vast editions can be run off at lightning rapidity would have been impossible.

In making it possible to print with such perfection and rapidity, Robert Hoe did as much perhaps as any man that ever lived for the spread of intelligence and the advancement of knowledge in every civilized land.

THE LAWRENCE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.

The letter from the state board of education to the local superintendent of schools in reference to the Industrial school of Lawrence is one of considerable importance to the youth of Lowell.

We have already stated in these columns that the Lawrence school is available to students over fourteen years of age outside of Lawrence. The state board of education now urges upon the attention of Lowell boys the advantages of the school. Anybody desirous of knowing more of the courses should address Principal Dooley who has charge of the school.

The school is in its infancy, and its courses may not be properly adjusted or coordinated so as to offer the greatest advantage to students. The institution will improve with time, and it would be well for the people of Lowell to look into the courses of study and see whether they offer an opportunity for a smart boy to learn the principles of some trade or a number of trades by attending the Lawrence school. There is also a department in which girls are trained in the domestic arts. This is something new in this part of the state, and it should be availed of by girls who may be able to attend.

The communcation of the state board shows that that body is interested in the success of the school and in having the opportunities it offers made available to the largest number possible.

TAFT AND THE ROOSEVELT POLICIES.

President Taft is making a favorable impression wherever he goes by his speeches. He has undertaken in a few cases to say that he would enforce the Roosevelt policies, but that is practically as far as he has gone in reference to the Roosevelt policies since he became president.

President Taft is outlining policies of his own that do not coincide exactly with the Roosevelt policies. They will probably accomplish more with less violence. Roosevelt might be compared to a surgeon who always favors the use of the knife as a remedy for disease, while Taft typifies the physician who uses scientific remedies and applies the knife only as a last resort. The people generally prefer the Taft method as the more rational and the more effective. For example, President Taft says he would narrow the anti-trust law so that it would not include in its category of crimes anything except a conspiracy or combination deliberately entered into to suppress competition in interstate trade.

"It has been suggested," says the president, "that the law ought to limit its denunciation to those contracts in restraint of trade that are unreasonable. I do not favor any such limitation, for the reason that in the common law the reasonable restraint of law came to have a very different meaning. What we need is a just anti-trust law, a law that can be enforced; a law, too, that provides for the imprisonment of all trust officials who violate it."

Such a change in the anti-trust law would undoubtedly prove beneficial, for nothing will stop violations of the anti-trust law so readily as the imprisonment of those convicted for breaking the law.

This change in the anti-trust law and another change which the president suggests in the Inter-state commerce law are among the most important recommendations he has made. Moreover, they are both in the line of sound public policy and the better enforcement of restrictive laws. When addressing himself to judicial questions the contrast between his stand and that of ex-President Roosevelt was very striking.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

Rev. Harry E. Peabody, pastor of the Windsor avenue Congregational church at Hartford, Conn., Sunday announced his resignation. He has accepted a call to the South Congregational church in Chicago. Within the past ten years he has been especially active in crusade work against various resorts in Hartford. In his college days Mr. Peabody played full back on the Harvard football team for four years. He declined a call to the presidency of Pomona college, Claremont, Cal., to take the Chicago pulpit.

During the coming year three of the Brown faculty will be absent on their Sabbatic years: Professor Blanchard of the department of civil engineering, Professor Benedict of the department of English, and Mr. Archibald of the department of mathematics.

Home made jam is gradually disappearing from the 20th century European household. And yet 60 years ago George Sand, who treated most of her domestic duties somewhat lightly, was discovered by a visitor wearing a cotton dress and a big apron, and skimming a panful of fruit destined for the jampot. "It is not easy work," she remarked. "I find it harder to make good jam than to write 'Valentine' or 'Mauprat'; but there are some tasks one cannot leave to others."

A press clipping bureau has been installed at the vatican. Pius X reads only two newspapers, the Osservatore Romano, the official organ of the Holy See, and the Difesa, of Venice. All the other Italian newspapers are read by a young journalist, who cuts out all the news of interest and sends the clippings daily to Cardinal Merry del Val.

The cardinal marks in blue pencil anything of importance which he considers that the pope ought to see and in turn sends the clippings of the day to the pope, who only reads what is marked by his secretary of state. A certain number of foreign newspapers are sent to the secretariate of state, where four clerks who know French, German, Spanish and English cut out important paragraphs relating to vatican news, translate them into Latin and send them to the pope. The clipping of foreign newspapers, however, is generally done by bishops, who send to Rome news of interest published in the newspapers of their dioceses.

All the clippings are bound separately, divided according to countries and sub-divided according to newspapers and carefully indexed for future reference. The most bulky books of recent clippings relate to Modernism and especially to Tyrrell and to Murri, the leader of the Italian Modernists.

Both the new academicians in Paris, Brieux and Prevost, are ready with new plays. Brieux, of course, is a dramatist by profession, and his piece is a comedy, "La Plus Forte," which is to be the first play of the new season at the Vaudeville. Meanwhile the Comedie-Francaise will revive his "Robe Rouge" and possibly undertake "La Foi," which Sir Herbert Tree, in any case, is soon to try in London. Prevost has seldom attempted the theatre and with slight success. This time he has drawn a play from his own recent novel, "Pierre et Therese." The Gymnase will have it.

Rev. Dr. John H. DeForest, a veteran Congregational minister at Sendai, Japan, has been decorated by the imperial government with the order of the Rising Sun.

Mrs. Martin J. Wessels of Spokane, Wash., is said to be one of the few artists, if not the only one, whose work is devoted exclusively to pictures of grain. Among her pictures are the frescoes in the rooms of the Spokane Chamber of Commerce, and the decorations on the walls of the Spokane building at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition. Mrs. Wessels is the wife of an artist, and it was her admiration of her husband's work that first led her to try her hand at making grain pictures.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

"The Girl Outcast" with Miss Enid Mayo in the leading role was the attraction at the Opera House last evening. The show is of a high order and although the company has been on the road but a few weeks this season all the members demonstrated that they are capable and were carefully rehearsed.

Miss Mayo is an actress of exceptional ability and her portrayal of "Ruth Holt" is of a high order. She has a sweet girlish personality and an artistic and emotional temperament.

The other members of the company are well adapted to the parts they assume and in all the performance last evening was one that should have been greeted by a larger attendance.

DAVID COPPERFIELD.

While every work by Charles Dickens is world famous, his "David Copperfield" stands out as his very best. The statement has been made that "Micawber," a name which has become world famous, is a picture of the characteristics of his own father. Every work that emanated from the pen of Charles Dickens shows that even in the humblest walks of life there is a rugged honesty and true charity.

The dramatization of "David Copperfield," which will be under the management of Edward C. White, will therefore be a treat to those who have read and admired Dickens, and rare enjoyment to those who have never perused the works of this great author. "David Copperfield" is a play which once seen is never forgotten, when recalls a host of pleasant memories.

This meritorious attraction comes to the Opera House tonight.

THE TRAVELING SALESMAN

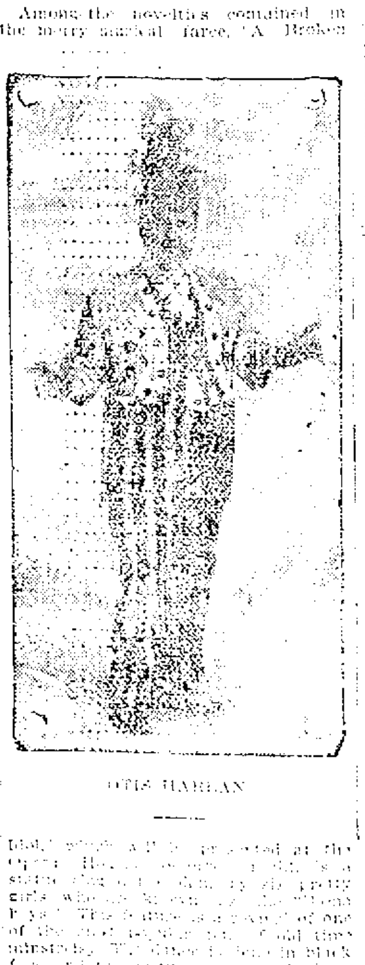
A marked feature of James Forbes' comedy success, "The Traveling Salesman," which comes to the Opera House October 1 and 2, is the large number of laughable slang expressions, entirely new to those who find much to interest them in the works of the celebrated slang authors of the day. Mr. Forbes as a creator of risible expressions, sprang into prominence by reason of "The Chorus Lady" and has more than duplicated his first success with "The Traveling Salesman." The production ran an entire season at the Gaiety theatre in New York, four months at the Park theatre in Boston, and six months at the Illinois theatre in Chicago to crowded houses.

THE GAY HUSSARS

When Mr. Henry W. Savage's production of the dashing military operetta, "The Gay Hussars" is shown here at the Opera House, October 4, the ladies will have an opportunity to see the hat which already is the vogue in Paris and Vienna and which promises to be the fashion during the winter in New York. It is called the "Gay Hussars" turban and threatens to become as popular as the "Merry Widow" hat.

A BROKEN IDOL

Among the novelties contained in the merry musical farce, "A Broken Idol," [illegible]



OTIS HARLAN

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THE WHITESIDE-STRAUSS CO.

The Whiteside-Strauss company will open a four days' engagement at the Lowell Opera House, commencing on Monday, Sept. 27.

The individual members of the company are said to be thoroughly capable, and the six big specialties seen between the acts are of the highest order.

"The Johnson Sisters," America's foremost singers and dancers, "The Musical Lockwoods," high class musical artists, playing a variety of brass, reed and novelty instruments, new illustrated songs, Miss Maude Clement, the petite comedienne, moving pictures changed nightly, Miss Vivian Laid Law, in character songs, Burdette Bros., the greatest of all comedy acrobats, and Will S. Strauss, that funny fellow.

Ladies' tickets will be issued for Monday night only. Seats are now on sale.

MR. AND MRS. W. K. VANDERBILT, JR., WHOSE SEPARATION IS ANNOUNCED

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The announcement that Mr. and Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., had finally decided to live apart caused no surprise in society circles in New York and Newport. Almost from the day of their marriage 10 years ago the Vanderbilts have had disagreements. Mrs. Vanderbilt was Miss Virginia Fair of California, and there were many titled men seeking her hand when her engagement to "Willie K." Vanderbilt was announced. Incompatibility is given as the cause of the separation. Friends of both Mrs. Vanderbilt and her husband declare that every effort at reconciliation has failed and that the couple will live apart in future. They have three children.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

"Winning on Wind," one of the feature acts at Hathaway's theatre this week, is a perfect cyclone of fun. Lewis McCord, who used to appear here in his own sketch, "Her First Rehearsal," has the principal part in this sketch.

Yosco and Lyons, musicians, do their very pretty and effective little act, which holds some real gems of musical worth.

"A Piece of Dresden China," a typical English music hall comedy act, bristles with funnyisms. There are three persons in the company. Jere McAuliffe, who will be pleasantly remembered as a stock company star, gives his inimitable parodies. The Four Sullivans sing and dance well, and the Altines have an acrobatic act which is good. McAdams and his talking dog "Spike" offer a novelty. The motion pictures are new.

THEATRE VOYONS

Today the Theatre Voyons is showing the Urban-Eclipse pictures of the International Aviation contests at Rheims, France. This picture is about twelve minutes long and it contains all the best portions of these contests. It shows Curtiss, Bleriot, Latham, Renard, Farman, Tissandier, Lambert, Paulan and several other aviators all in flight. The contests shown were for the world's championship and mark the establishment of many new records for flights. Not only are the machines shown in the air but close views are shown of them while starting so that the construction of the machine can be plainly seen. With the exception of the Wright brothers every noted aviator of the world is shown with his machine and shown so clearly that one can instantly recognize it even when three or four are pictured circling around in the air at once. No picture ever taken contains so much real interest to one who wishes to be up-to-date in all the world's progress as does this and one can learn more of flying machines by carefully watching it than by reading many pages of magazine description. It is a perfect picture, photographically clear and distinct in every portion and one that is entertaining and at the same time very instructive.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

The bill provided for the patrons of the Academy of Music this week maintains the high standard of that house. Jordon and Brennen are two important names on the program. Martyne and Hardy are down for an original sketch, featuring Mr. Martyne's lightning change from black face to white. Miss Claudia Bessette is singing "You're Just the Boy for me," with great success. Beautiful travellettes.

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Fall Derbies .... $2.00 to $4.00
Fall Soft Hats .... $1.50 to $5.00
Fall Shirts, new designs and colors ..... 50c to $3.00
Street Gloves, outseam cape .... $1.00 to $2.00
Fall Underwear .... 50c to $2.00
Fall Union Suits .... $1.50 to $3.00
Coat Sweaters .... $1.50 to $5.00
New High Shoes .... $3.00 to $6.00

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CHAIRMAN MacLEOD

Says Democracy Will Win in This State This Year

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—Political conditions are such this year that the democratic party can win, according to a statement made yesterday by Chairman Fred J. MacLeod of the democratic state committee.

"This," he said, "is the belief of conservative men—not of optimistic enthusiasts—but men who in the past have been in a position to forecast correctly the outcome of political campaigns and who have done so."

Chairman MacLeod said that there have been a number of conferences between himself and many of these men during the last few months, and that it is the general opinion of all that this is the democracy's year. Among others who are of this opinion, Chairman MacLeod mentioned Charles S. Hamlin, who is to preside over the state convention of the party in Faneuil hall next Thursday.

He stated that the object of the conferences was not to talk over the chances of party success, but to devise ways and means of placing the organization on a fighting basis.

"The outlook is more hopeful than it has been at any time since I have been connected with the state committee," he said. "There are men now working for harmony and organization who have not for years taken an active part in the campaign. The feeling of all is in favor of taking hold and putting the democracy back in the position it should occupy."

Chairman MacLeod stated also that there will be a candidate in the field for every elective office on the ballot in every district in the state. Steps to that end have already been taken, especially in the senatorial and representative districts, and the state committee, according to its chairman, is hopeful that the result will show an increased membership in both the senate and the house this year.

"A number of issues in this campaign are what might be called 'popular,' and on each of them the democracy has always declared favorably. I may cite especially the direct nomination issue and the tax on incomes. Both are to have a prominent place in the Faneuil hall platform, and on both the democracy has been on record for years. I have urged the democrats all over the state to put their strongest candidates in nomination for the senate and house, even in districts where it appears impossible for anyone but a republican to win. This will be urged even more strongly between now and the last date for filing nomination papers, and the state committee is exceedingly hopeful of the results."

He also said that the party was now engaged in the task of organizing county democratic clubs. Up to date only one of them has been formed, the Hampshire County club, of which Harry E. Bicknell of Chicopee is president, but within the next few days there will be similar organizations, he said, in Berkshire, Essex, and several other counties, while the work is to be carried on even after the election.

Chairman MacLeod said that the county clubs would be made up of numerous town and city organizations, with a central board of officers, and that any democrat in any county would be considered a member at any time he saw fit to take part in the work of the organization.

The object of the clubs, he said, would be to strengthen the democracy in the country towns, he believing that in the past the party had depended too much on the cities and paid too little attention to the voters in the rural districts.

The work of filling out the 974 credentials has been accomplished at state headquarters on Beacon street, and the documents have been mailed.

For Five Years

We have bought black and colored petticoats from the same manufacturer and he does not sell to any other stores but ours between Boston and Portland.

The fit and workmanship is perfect, all seams double stitched and they are finished as well on the inside as most skirts are on the outside.

Petticoats of good cotton taffeta, deep flounce finished to two rows of shirring. A good 69c petticoat, now

50c

Petticoats of sateen, cotton taffeta and imitation moreen. Some with double ruffle of embroidery. Regular 98c value

69c

Petticoats of sateen or cotton taffeta, tucked or embroidered ruffle. Some with Jersey top, which is so desirable this season to wear with the new close fitting suits

$1.00

Petticoats of sateen or imitation Heatherbloom. Wide flare ruffle, finished with bias bands; a copy of a $2.98 petticoat, and a few patent band petticoats that were $1.97, now

$1.50

Petticoats of sateen or genuine Heatherbloom. Some with embroidered flounce. Styles we sold last season for $2.97, now

$1.97

Sateen, moreen and Heatherbloom petticoats, the largest variety and the best values we have ever shown for

$2.97

Outsizes that are outsizes in every respect.

$1 to $3.50

The White Store

Lawrence, Mass. Lowell, Haverhill, Mass. Mass.

CARS COLLIDED

Lowell Electric in Rear-End Crash

ARLINGTON, Sept. 24.—Two cars of the Boston elevated railway were in collision at Arlington Center, near Water street, shortly before 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. One person was slightly injured. This point is the terminus of the Arlington Center-Beacon street line of cars. Here, after shifting ends, they are switched off to a siding.

At the time of the accident a number of cars were outward bound, while directly behind the Beacon street car was a Lowell-bound car from Sullivan square. The Lowell car was stopped to let the shifting car get onto the siding.

As the Beacon street car got to the switch the rear trucks jumped the track. Before the car could be brought to a standstill the rear end crashed into the standing Lowell car.

John J. Mullen of 269 Main street, Charlestown, was on the end of the seat nearest the collision, and he claimed his side was hurt by the blow. He refused medical attendance and returned on the next in-bound car for Charlestown.

The Lowell car was not damaged to any extent, but the Beacon street car was badly smashed about the rear platform. Glass was broken, the step broken off and the dasher battered. The line was blocked for about 20 minutes.

THE MINISTERS

Caused Change in Pres. Taft's Program

SALT LAKE CITY, Sept. 24.—Tentative arrangements for the reception and entertainment of President Taft, who is scheduled to arrive in Salt Lake at 3 o'clock today have undergone some modifications. The original pdogram embraced an address by the president at the Mormon tabernacle and a review of school children of Salt Lake on the Sabbath day.

The Ministers association at Salt Lake immediately express its disapproval of this particular feature of the program in a formal resolution.

More recent arrangements will permit the president to rest Sunday forenoon at his hotel until 11 o'clock, at which time his special train is scheduled to leave for Ogden, Utah.

PACKING HOUSES

To be Inspected by the Japanese

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—With the arrival today of the Japanese commercial commissioners for a four days' stay in Chicago commercial and manufacturing organizations will endeavor to answer the question of the Mikado's commissioners: "Why does the United States furnish only 10 per cent. of Japanese import trade?"

The Japanese party consisting of 75 persons, including financiers, merchants, importers, railroad officers and their wives traveling in a special train has carefully scrutinized American business methods at principal points from Seattle to Milwaukee and will continue the investigation throughout the country.

The first industry to be investigated in Chicago will be the livestock and meat packing business at the union stock yards. Preparations have been made to show the Japanese everything of interest in and about Chicago.

BIG WARSHIPS

Arrive to Take Part in Celebration

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The German cruiser squadron composed of the Victoria Luise, Hertha, Bremen and Dresden, which will participate in the Hudson-Fulton ceremonies, arrived at New York today, reaching the quarantine station at 8.15 a. m. The British battleship Inflexible, under command of Admiral Sir Hobart Seymour, arrived off the Hook this morning and joined the three other British warships which have been awaiting her arrival since yesterday. The British ships remained at anchor off the Hook.

The American cruiser Montana arrived this morning to join the other American warships anchored in the Hudson river.

ONE MAN KILLED

Four Others Injured in Auto Accident

ROCKFORD, Ill., Sept. 24.—Charles Blodgett of Chicago, a traveling salesman, was killed, Albert Westerberg was fatally injured, and Oscar Johnson, Ernst Christiansen and Fred Dangtson were hurt last night when an automobile in which they were returning from Belvidere turned turtle.

NEGROES EXCITED

Think End of World Comes Today

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 24.—Negroes here are very much excited because of a report which seems to be generally current among them that the end of the world will come today. Last night many negroes gathered in their homes and at the churches making preparations for the "judgment." Where the report originated no one seems to know.

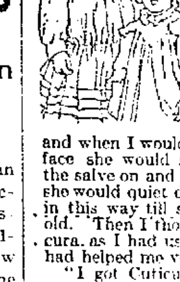
If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SKIN-TORTURED BABIES CURED

Humor Kept Tiny Girl's Face Sore for Months—Grew Worse in Spite of Doctor's Prescription—Screamed when Salves were Applied—Brother Suffered from Tetter.

CUTICURA'S ACTION QUICK AND EFFECTIVE

"I will explain about Kathryn Rishel's cure. She is four years old now. When she was two months, she had tetter or eczema on her face. It commenced on her cheeks and kept spreading till it was almost all over her face. I had a doctor to treat it but it still kept getting worse. I tried many kinds of salve but it only got worse, and when I would grease her poor little face she would scream. I had to put the salve on and then start to walk till she would quiet down. I worried along in this way till she was over one year old. Then I thought I would try Cuticura, as I had used it for myself and it had helped me very much.



"I got Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. As soon as I began to use them I saw a difference. She did not need to cry when I treated her face. The Cuticura Remedies commenced right away to make it better. I used several boxes of Cuticura Ointment and used Cuticura Soap all the time and her face was healed. She is four years old now and I do not see any signs of the sores. Cuticura certainly did cure her.

"Our little boy had tetter also. He is nearly two. I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment for him and he was soon cured. I used them right away so he didn't get as sore as Kathryn did. Mrs. Blanche Rishel, Clintondale, Pa., Oct. 22, 1908."

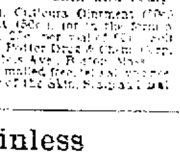
For more than thirty years the Cuticura Remedies have been the favorites in tens of thousands of households for the treatment of eczemas, rashes, itchings, irritations and other torturing, disfiguring humors of the skin and scalp.

Cuticura Soap (25c.), Cuticura Ointment (50c.) and Cuticura Resolvent (50c.), (or in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60), sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., 135 Columbus Ave., Boston, Mass.

Cuticura Booklet, mailed free, tells all you need to know about Diseases of the Skin, Scalp and Hair.

Boston Painless Dental Rooms

All the Year Round



You use your teeth daily. Is it any wonder that they give out after a while? With good care, however, they can be made to last a lifetime. We are at your pleasure to care for your teeth at all times. Our efforts are constantly directed to saving teeth if possible, and if not to make new ones for you. You will appreciate our work, prices and painless methods.

Full Set Teeth (rubber)	$5.00 Up
Gold Fillings	$1.00 Up
Silver Fillings	50c Up
Gold Crowns	$5.00

BOSTON PAINLESS DENTAL ROOMS

15, 17, 18, 19 Runels Bldg., Merrimack Square

CITY HALL NEWS

Committee on Claims Meets Tonight

The common council will meet in regular session next Tuesday evening. Although the meeting of the board of aldermen has not as yet been called, it was said at city hall this morning that a special meeting would be called for Monday morning.

Fire Department

The committee on fire department will make a tour of inspection next Thursday afternoon of all the fire houses in the city, and the evening session will be given over to the consideration of the new automobile apparatus in Warren street.

Committee on Claims

The committee on claims will meet in executive session, this evening at 7.30 o'clock, in the office of the city solicitor, when it will finally decide what shall be done with the several petitions heard last night.

City Solicitor's Opinion

Late yesterday afternoon the city auditor received an opinion from the city solicitor to the effect that the board of police had the right under the statute to create an office within the scope of their duty and the mayor this morning received the same opinion.

Civil Service Examination

Today the city messenger was informed that the state civil service commission would hold an examination in the public hearing room at city hall, October 25th, for the purpose of filling vacancies in the department of steam boiler inspectors.

RIBS BROKEN

JOHN DEERING HURT AT THE CARPET MILLS

John Deering, residing at 55 Adams street, had several ribs fractured while at work at the Bigelow Carpet mill this morning. The ambulance was summoned and he was removed to the Lowell hospital where he received treatment.

NEW IDEA PATTERNS 10c

The Bon Marché DRY GOODS CO.

ICE CREAM SODA All Flavors 5c Glass

New Arrivals in Our Women's Suit Department

Women's Suits—Made of fine quality broadcloth in all this season's latest shades. Coat is 46 inches long and beautifully tailored; lined with self colored Skinner satin and has the new shaped velvet collar. Skirt has the pleated side effect new this fall. Complete range of sizes. Price....$27.50

Women's Suits—Made of diagonal worsteds. Long semi-fitted coat; Skinner satin lined; plain tailored effect with new model pleated skirt to fit small women taking 32, 34 and 36 sizes. Price $25.00

Women's Coats—Women's long, medium and heavy weight coats in all wool black and navy broadcloth and mixtures, loose and semi-fitted effects. Price....$12.98

Women's Dresses—Made in prunella, serge, broadcloth and panama in light and dark colors, trimmed with embroidery and braid. Price....$12.98

Women's Long, Medium and Heavy Weight Coats—In all wool black and navy broadcloths and mixtures, loose and semi-fitted effects. Price....$12.98

Dresses—Made of prunella, serge, broadcloth and panama in light and dark colors; trimmed with embroidery and braid. Price....$12.98

Black and Colored Silk Taffeta Petticoats—In all the newest shades in several styles. Price....$4.98

Taffeta Silk Petticoats—In all the newest shades, at....$4.98

Jersey Top Dresses—In panama, serge and broadcloth, at $18.98 to $31.50

Girls' Coats—In all kinds of material, at....$2.98 to $12.98

Black Voile Skirts—In ten different styles, at....$5.98 to $7.98

Black and Colored Sateen Petticoats—In newest shades, at....$1.49

Children's Dresses for Fall—Sizes 8 to 14 years, at....69c to $8.50

Girls' Serge and Panama Sailor Suits—In black and navy, sizes from 12 to 18, at....$14.98 to $18.98

Cadet Hose For Children Are Warranted to Suit - - 25c Pair

FALL MILLINERY

Olga Hats—Hand made moire and velvet, ribbon, fancy feather and silver and velvet trimming. Colors black, brown, navy and green, for....$3.98

Beaudet Hats—Pressed shape made of felt, velvet and wing trimmings. Colors taupe and brown, peacock and navy, also solid colors, for....$4.98

Sea Gate Hats—Hand made velvet hats with messaline ribbon, box plaited around the side crown, coque trimming. Colors black, brown, navy, amethyst and green, for....$5.98

Beautiful Line of Ladies', Misses, and Children's Ready-to-Wear Hats—Trimmings of Dresden silk scarfs and velvet bands and wings. Special price....$1.49

SIX SPECIAL WAISTS

AT 98c EACH

Tailored Waists—Made of shirting in blue and white, and black and white stripes, four box pleats each side of front pleat and two side pleats, tucked back and laundered collar and cuffs....98c

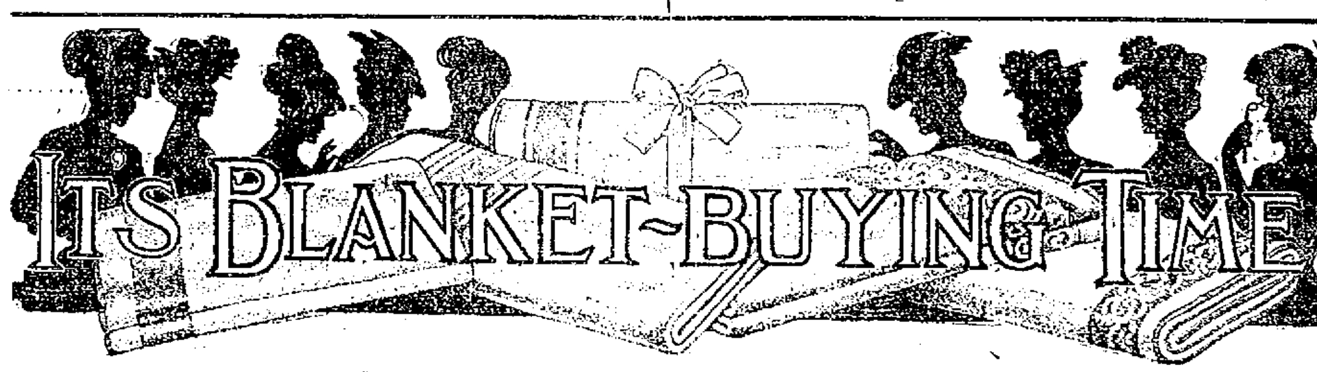
Batiste Waists—Made with fancy yoke of embroidery and Val. lace, fine tucking front and back, long sleeve trimmed to match, yoke and collar to match....98c

Batiste Waists—Made with square yoke and panel of Point Venise edged with German Val., tucked sleeves with deep cuff and lace collar....98c

Figured Madras Waists—Tailor made with three rows of inch tucks on each side of pleat, tucked back to match, laundered collar and soft cuffs....98c

Poplin Waists—Gibson style with nine fine tucks each side of pleat, pocket, plain back, laundered collar and soft tucked cuffs...98c

Silk Madras Waists—Tailored style with 3 one-inch tucks each side of pleat, tucked back, laundered collar and cuffs. Colors are stripes in blue and black, green and black and black and white on a white back ground....98c



SPECIAL SHOWING OF

Blankets and Comforters

All First Quality Goods Direct From the Best Makers

Bed Blankets

Cotton Wool Blankets—	
11-4 size in white only	98c pair
12-4 size in white only	$1.19 pair
Beacon Blankets—11-4 size	$1.29 pair
11-4 Size Wool Blankets	$2.49 pair
11-4 Size Wool Blankets	$2.98 pair
11-4 Size Wool Blankets	$3.49 pair
11-4 Size Wool Blankets	$3.98 pair
11-4 Size Wool Blankets	$5.00 pair

Bath Robe Blankets

72x84 Inch Size Beacon Robes	$2.25
72x84 Inch Size Beacon Robes	$2.98
72x84 Inch Size Beacon Robes	$3.49
72x84 Inch Size Beacon Robes	$3.98
72x84 Inch Size Beacon Robes	$4.98

Crib Blankets

Beacon Crib Blankets—Full size....$1.00 pair

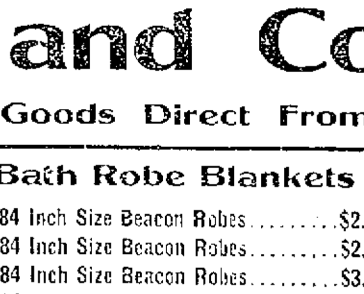
Comforters

Full Size Comforters	89c
Full Size Comforters	98c
Full Size Comforters—White filling	$1.25
Full Size Comforters—White filling	$1.49
Full Size Comforters—White filling	$1.75
Full Size Comforters—White filling	$1.98
Full Size Comforters—White filling	$2.49
Full Size Comforters—White filling	$2.98
Full Size Comforters—White filling	$3.50

Fruit Jars and Jelly Tumblers

Pint Mason Jars	4c each
Quart Mason Jars	5c each
2 Quart Mason Jars	6c each
Pint Lightning Jars	7c each
Quart Lightning Jars	8c each
2 Quart Lightning Jars	10c each
Best Jelly Tumblers	2c each

The above jars are all first quality. We have the Lightning style with large tops as well as the regular.



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With fancy decorations in handsome patterns, worth 85c to $1.25. Special price—any size....69c

The "Bon Marche Special"

$2 Boot for Women

The new fall patterns are now in stock.

Button and lace in all the desirable leathers.

We have put extra value into this line and combining service with style are prepared to show the smartest boots we have seen at this price.

$2.00 A PAIR

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TANNERY HEARING

Counsel for Am. Hide & Leather Co. Argued for Company

Lawyer McClennan Minimized the Odors on Howe Street and Said They Could be Eliminated in New Building on the Same Site—Expert Yocum Told About Beam Houses Elsewhere—Lawyer Burke Presented Petition of the Leather Workers' Union

A hearing on the tannery nuisance in Howe street, was held before the board of health in the public hearing room at city hall last night. The hearing was continued from Monday morning, the petitioners for the abatement of the nuisance having been heard at that time. Last night the remonstrants were heard and the hearing closed.

The remonstrants did not succeed in proving that a nuisance does not exist in Howe street, but counsel for the company said that if allowed to rebuild, the American Hide & Leather Co. would erect a substantial beam house with modern appliances for the elimination of odors.

Edward M. McClennan, a Boston lawyer, appeared for the American Hide & Leather Co., and introduced one John H. Yocum, a beam house expert, who said that were a new beam house erected in Howe street and equipped with modern appliances for the elimination of odors, no offensive odor would be noticeable 10 feet from the building.

Close on the trail of this statement Mr. Yocum said there was less smell from the beam house in Howe street than from the majority of beam houses and less than from a beam house in a modern building at Peabody.

Mr. McClennan and Mr. Yocum scouted the idea of the Howe street odors being injurious to health. Mr. McClennan said that the public press had done the American Hide and Leather Co. an injustice by attempting to raise more of a smell in Howe street than was really necessary. Expert Yocum said that ninety per cent of the odors came from the pickle, not from the hides. He admitted, however, that pigeon and chicken manure were used in the process of scouring the lime from the hides.

Lawyer Burke presented a formidable petition from the Leather Workers' union and Dennis Healey as president presented the reasons why the union

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Special Advance Sale Now On

The Natty Styles Here Will Please You.

SPECIAL IN SUITS, $15.00

We ask you to match these Suits with those shown elsewhere at $20.00. In fine serge, satin lined, all colors.

$15.00

We carry a Stock of 1200 Suits

P. S.—As we are selling quantities of RAINCOATS, intending purchasers should not avoid a comparison in styles and prices with those shown everywhere. Special at $8.75
In poplin, cravenette and Sicilian. All shower proof.

New Skirts New Coats New Waists

Hundreds of styles to select from. Pure Lace Waists, 95c.

NEW YORK CLOAK and SUIT CO.

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Something New in Fuel

"BOULETS," made from Old Company's Lehigh Coal Screenings and pressed to uniform size.

Free From Slate, Clinkers and Waste

Burns freely; leaves nothing but fine ashes and can be used for any domestic purpose.

COSTS LESS THAN COAL

Price $6.50 per ton. The public is cordially invited to call at our office and inspect the samples now on hand.

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AN ITCHING PALM

NO CURE FOR IT. OTHER FORMS OF ITCHING PREFERALBE

There is no cure for an itching palm of the money kind. Even poslam, the new skin discovery, cannot help it. But when it comes to eczema, the most annoying of itching skin troubles, poslam will stop the itching at once and cure the worst cases in a few days. So with [illegible] rashes, hives, split toes, piles, and scaly scalp, all of which are different forms of eczema, accompanied by severe itching and caused by [illegible] and careless diet.

Poslam [illegible] in two-dollar jars, but [illegible] worth will answer in curing any of the troubles mentioned. It can be had of any druggist, [illegible].

That results are immediate will be [illegible] by the experimental sample, which the Emergency Laboratories, [illegible] West [illegible] Street, New York City, will send free by mail in plain wrapper to anyone who will write for it.

GERMAN OFFICER

At the Hudson-Fulton Celebration

NEW YORK, Sept. [illegible]—Grand Admiral von Koester, of the German navy, who is attending the Hudson-Fulton celebration, has been [illegible] called the senior officer of the [illegible] national

ADMIRAL VON KOESTER

fleet. This, however, is disputed by the British Admiral Sir Edward H. Seymour, who bears the title of admiral of the fleet, which is the highest naval title in Great Britain. The kaiser and Prince Henry are the only two persons who rank Grand Admiral von Koester in the German navy.

Saturday, October 2, 1909, is "quarter day" at the Lowell Five Cent Savings bank. Open an account. Deposit now.

THE TEACHERS

FOR THE EVENING SCHOOLS NOT NAMED YET

At the meeting of the sub-committee on evening schools last night there was an informal discussion as regards the opening of the evening schools and also as to the assignment of teachers to the same.

After the meeting Supt. Whitcomb said that there was no nomination of teachers, but that each sub-committee will present to the superintendent a list of nominees for his school, which list will be typewritten in time for presentation to the full board Tuesday night. Contrary to the custom in former years the elections will take place in the full board [illegible] the opening of the schools.

As regards the principalship of the Evening High school, Mr. Whitcomb said last night that he had no official knowledge of any nomination to the position. Mr. Simpson, of the sub-committee, is the man whose privilege it is to make the nomination, but the superintendent said he had not yet made it, so far as he knows.

[illegible] orchestra, [illegible] night.

RADIANT HAIR

New York Society Women's Hair Matched Only by Parisians

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Lowell, Friday, September 24, 1909.

A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

AGENTS FOR BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS

The New Season's Goods

NOW FILL THE STORE

And our showing is one to be proud of. Assortments were never more attractive or prices more worthy. We say we can serve you best—let us prove to you our ability to do so.

NEW SHIPMENTS OF WOMEN'S SUITS THAT HAVE ALREADY PROVED FAVORITES

If you would like to see a suit that does not look like an $18.50 suit, which, if you buy, your neighbor will think is worth much more, perhaps you will come in to see these splendid $18.50 suits freshly arrived this week. Hard Twisted Worsteds, Serges and Homespuns with a good satin lining and in several good colors. Yes, a long coat and pleated skirt—combination one is not apt to tire of.

A Few Homespun Suits—Regular value $22.50, Friday and Saturday sale price $18.50

THE HORIZON'S WHITE WITH WAISTS

You would not believe summer was over if you could see the shipments of White Waists coming in. The horizon is white with sails every day.

Plain Tailored Linens .... $1.50 to $2.98
Embroidered Linens .... $2.98 to $5.98
Tailored Madras—Striped .... 98c to $2.98
Lingerie Waists of Lawn and Batiste—Variously trimmed with lace and embroidery ...... $1.98 to $7.50
Wash Flannel Waists—In assorted colors and stripes .... 98c to $3.98
Fancy Waists—Silk and Net Waists .... $2.98 to $15.00

AFTER ALL, RAINCOATS ARE THE BEST CLOTHES Friends to Girls and Women.

Many a rainy and snowy day will come and raincoats will then be the keys to unlock days of outdoor pleasure.

Cravenetted Raincoats are back again—far too useful to be without. Warmer than satin and so closely woven that they successfully help to bar winter breezes.

Silk Rubber Coats—Regular value $12.98 .... $10.50
Cravenetted Automobile Coats—Regular price $16.50 .... $13.50
Cravenetted Serge Storm Coats and Storm Capes—Regular value $20.00 .... $15.00

PETTICOAT LUXURY

Times have changed. The day of the "one silk petticoat" has gone with the arrival of $3.98 and $5.00 prices.

The woman who could only afford one may have two or three of different colors, to match her different suits, all desirable colors, in all the new shades $5.00
Extra Size Black Silk Petticoats $5.00

CLOAK DEPARTMENT SECOND FLOOR

NEW FALL MILLINERY

The latest and most desirable fashions are here at our usual much-under-the-regular prices.

Trimmed Hats—Large and small shapes, $4.98 to $5.98
Ready-to-Wear Hats $2.25
Silk, Satin and Moire Hats $1.98, $2.25, $2.98
Misses' College and Sailor Hats 98c
Untrimmed Sample Felt Hats .... 69c and 98c
Worth from $1.50 to $2.50 each.
Sample Line of Fancy Feathers ... 25c to $1.25 each
One-half the regular price.

Palmer Street Centre Aisle

Choose From 2000 Pairs of Ruffled Muslin Curtains for 49 Cents

The Regular 75c and 98c Qualities.

We offer these in plain tucked with insertion and edged. See Merrimack street window.

East Section Second Floor

SPECIAL 100 Dozen Fine Lawn Tea Aprons With Ruffles and Pocket. Regular price 15c, 10c EACH

EAST SECTION CENTRE AISLE

NOW FOR THE PICKLING SEASON

Here we offer first quality stone jars with covers at the lowest prices ever quoted in Lowell. We buy [in] carload lots at the lowest factory price—and thereby secure the low carload freight rate. The [illegible] for our customers.

Sizes	1 Gal.	2 Gal.	3 Gal.	4 Gal.	5 Gal.	6 Gal.	8 Gal.	10 Gal.	12 Gal.
Usual Price	25c	38c	50c	67c	87c	[illegible]	$1.40	$1.65	Without Cover
Sale Price	20c	30c	45c	55c	70c	85c	$1.10	$1.30	$1.50

FLOWER POTS AND SAUCERS

4 in.	5 in.	6 in.	7 in.	8 in.	9 in.	10 in.	12 in.
4c	5c	7c	10c	15c	20c	30c	50c

MERRIMACK STREET BASEMENT

BASEMENT BARGAIN DEPT.

Friday and Saturday Are Days of Good Values In This Department.

Boys' Fall Suits at low prices:

Boys' Two Piece Suits in dark and medium colors made with knickerbocker pants, for boys of 8 to 17 years, $3 suit at $1.98 suit.

Boys' Russian Suits with sailor collars and military collars, made of good material and nicely trimmed $2.50 value at $1.98 a suit.

Boys' Double Breasted Suits, made of good wool material and worsted, all new patterns in dark and medium colors, made with knickerbocker pants, for boys of 8 to 17 years, $4 value at $2.98 a suit.

Russian Suits for boys of 2½ to 8 years, made in very latest designs, nicely trimmed, worsted, serges and Scotch mixtures, $4 suit at $2.98 a suit.

We have a large assortment of better suits, Two Piece Russian and Sailor, made of the very best material, well made and nicely trimmed, knickerbocker pants, suits sold in clothing stores from $5 to $7.50, at $3.98 and $4.98 a suit.

Boys' Knickerbocker Pants, made of good blue and black cheviot and fancy mixtures, pants cut full and well made, 69c value, at 50 pair.

Boys' Knickerbocker Pants, made of good worsted and wool mixture and cheviots, $1.00 value, at 75c pair.

BLANKETS AND COMFORTERS At Low Prices for the Next Two Days.

We have the most complete stock of Cotton Blankets in New England. Our prices are low for good standard size:

Full 10-4 Cotton Blankets, gray, white and tan, good warm blankets, with fast color borders, 59c value, at 55c pair.

11-4 Size, white and gray, 75c value, at 60c pair.

11-4 Size, white and gray, 89c value at 70c pair.

11-4 Size, white and gray, $1.00 value, at 80c pair.

11-4 Size, white and gray, $1.25 value at $1.00 pair.

12-4 Size, white and gray, $1.59 value, at $1.39 pair.

Wool Finish Blankets—Bay State quality. The best wool finished blankets made:

Full 11-4 size, worth $1.59, at $1.30 pair.

Full 11-4 size, worth $2.00, at $1.50 pair.

Full 11-4 size, worth $2.50, at $2.00 pair.

Full 12-4 extra size, worth $2.50, at $2.00 pair.

Full 12-4 extra size, worth $3.00, at $2.25 pair.

COMFORTERS.

Our Bed Comforters are made of good covering and filled with clean white sanitary batting and you will not find that unpleasant odor in our comforters, as they are made expressly for us and nothing but best materials are used.

Single Bed Comforters, $1.00 value at 75c.

Large Bed Comforters, $1.25 value at $1.00.

For Double Bed Comforters, $1.50 value, at $1.25.

For Double Bed Comforters, $2.00 value, at $1.50.

Extra Size Comforters, $2.00 value at $1.50.

Extra Size Comforters, $3.00 value at $2.00.

Extra Size Comforters, $3.00 value at $2.50.

For two days only, Feather Bed Pillows, made of good chicken feathers, best ticking covering, worth $1.50 a pair, at $1.25 pair.

MEN'S BARGAIN DEPARTMENT (Basement.)

Men's Derby Hats, black and brown, latest shapes, samples of high priced hats, worth $2.00 to $3.50, at $1.30 each.

Men's Soft Hats, in all the latest shapes, in black, brown and green:
$2.00 hats at $1.39 each.
$2.50 hats at $1.70 each.
$1.50 hats at 98c each.

Men's Fall Caps, made of the newest cloth, Scotch mixtures and worsted, in the latest shapes:
50c caps at 38c each.
75c caps at 45c each.

Boys' Eton Caps, velvet, leather, covert and fancy mixtures:
25c value at 15c.
39c value at 25c. .. ..

MEN'S, BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S SWEATERS.

Just opened, our new line of sweaters and we are offering extra good value in medium priced Sweaters:

Men's, Boys' and Children's Sweaters at 50c, worth 75c.

Men's, Boys' and Children's Sweaters at 75c, worth $1.00.

Men's, Boys' and Children's Sweaters at $1.00, worth $1.25.

Jersey Ribbed Underwear, ecru, made of good combed yarn, shirts and drawers, all sizes, 50c value, at 35c each.

Men's Merino Hose, black, oxford, natural and blue, 15c value, at 10c pair.

Boys' Braces, made of good elastic web, mohair ends, 10c value, at 5c pair.

BAGS

Nine inch gilt frame, strap handle, moire lined, inside purse, in navy blue, red, black and brown leather. Regular price $1 only.
50c each.

BELTS

To make room for our fall goods we shall close out one lot of assorted belts for 10c each. Regular price 50c.

BAR PINS

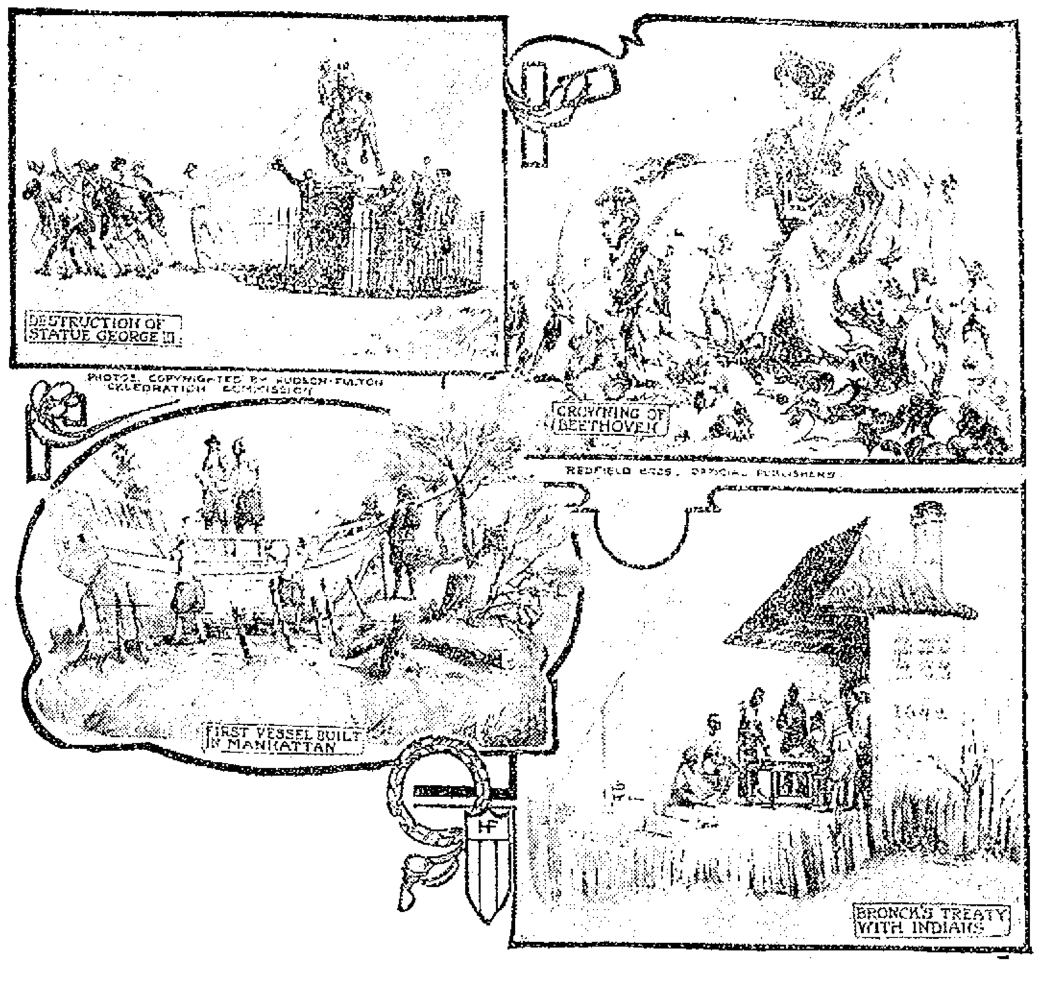
One lot of gilt, oxidized and green gold finished pins. The latest pins for Maline bows. 10c each. Regular prices 25c and 50c.

PERFUME

Jockey Club and Indian Hay, some of our best extracts. Regular price 69c and 75c oz. Special sale price 25c oz.

West Section Right Aisle

SOME OF THE FLOATS TO BE SEEN IN NEW YORK'S BIG CARNIVAL PARADE



NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The historical pageant to be held in New York on Sept. 28 will be the first of the kind seen in the metropolis in many years. It will also eclipse any float parade so far undertaken in the United States. On Oct. 2 the big carnival parade will take place. It will comprise 50 floats, photographs of some of which are reproduced herewith. A great force of artists has been busy for more than a year preparing these floats, and they are the most gorgeous things imaginable. Forty bands have been engaged to furnish the music for the carnival parade. No band will have fewer than 25 pieces, and some will have as many as 50. More than 25,000 persons will participate in the moving tableaux which will form a part of the pageant.

END OF WORLD

Is Awaited by the "Faithful" at West Duxbury

WEST DUXBURY, Mass., Sept. 24.—Their faith apparently undampened by the torrential rain which fell intermittently during the night, the three hundred and more members of the "Latter reign of the apostolic church" or Triune Immersionists as they prefer to be called, awaited with prayer and song and with arms outstretched and eyes scanning the sky for a sign, the destruction and purification of the world by fire which they believed would come at 10 o'clock this forenoon. The little white wooden chapel at Ashdod, on the main turnpike between Boston and Plymouth, was crowded throughout the night by the faithful, but the services were strangely calm compared with those which have been in progress during the past few days. In the early hours today the believers engaged in quiet prayer and awaited with undiminished faith the expected cataclysm.

According to their belief based partly upon prophesies in the old testament and partly on divine revelation which some of them claim to have received, the top crust of the earth is to be peeled off in a great flame, the sinful burned in everlasting fire while the faithful will be purified and dwell on the earth eternally.

Those participating in the meeting have come from every section of New England, the Rhode Island cities, Springfield, Mass., and Waterville, Me., being especially well represented while others have journeyed from as far as Virginia to be at Ashdod when the final trumpet shall sound.

Throughout the meetings almost unprecedented enthusiasm and fervor have been manifested and some among the number have been so overcome by their emotions as to lapse into a cataleptic state while the believers surround the person thus affected and with prayer and exhortation call upon the evil spirits to cease tormenting the afflicted soul.

Although the rain came down in torrents during the night the Triune Immersionists managed to keep pretty dry. Most of them spent the night in the chapel but some, wearied by the intensity of the services during the past few days slept under the protection of canvas tents and a few neighboring houses. The majority of the denomination expressed confidence that the end would come at the appointed hour, 10 o'clock, while others said that if the purification did not occur at that exact time it would not be delayed more than a day or two. Despite the fact that everything would be changed after the cataclysm and material things would be of no value in the hereafter the contribution box was passed frequently during the services and the believers contributed liberally.

As the appointed time drew near the believers filled the chapel and devoted their energies to the singing of hymns. Shortly before 10 o'clock the skies darkened a portentous manner and those who had been watching for a sign appeared convinced that the millenium was at hand. One hymn followed another as the believers waited for the final purification. Ten o'clock came, but the sky brightened and the millenium in the opinion of the believers was apparently postponed for a brief period of time.

It was explained later that a revelation which was made to one of their number last night indicated that the world would not be destroyed until some time during the 24 hours beginning at 6 o'clock this evening. The faithful still continued confident that their prophecies would be fulfilled, and they spent the remainder of the forenoon in singing hymns of praise.

BUTTE MINERS

REFUSED TO GO TO WORK TODAY

BUTTE, Mont., Sept. 24.—Eighty per cent. of the Butte miners refused to go to work today on account of the dispute between the miners and engineers' union. This amounts practically to a shut down.

CONTESTING WILL

Woman Says Her 94-Year-Old Sister Was Unduly Influenced

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—Alleging that Lillian M. Nelson of 80 Mellen street, Dorchester, exerted undue influence over the late Anna L. Shaw, who died at the age of 94 as a result of a broken hip, Maria S. Haynes, a widowed sister, herself over 80 years of age, is contesting the will which gives the Nelson woman nearly three-quarters of the estate.

The fourth day of the trial opened before Judge Braley and a jury in the supreme judicial court [illegible] facts that there was an [illegible] between Mrs. Nelson and Miss Anna L. Shaw that the former should care for an aged sister, Sarah E. Shaw [illegible] as long as she lived [illegible] the bequest to Mrs. Nelson [illegible] Sarah Shaw, whose [illegible] to Mrs. Nelson [illegible] Isaac C. Nelson [illegible] hip 18 days after [illegible] will.

Taken to the [illegible] March [illegible] Anna L. Shaw [illegible] Nelson as one of her [illegible] Upon the aged lady Mrs. Nelson lavished every care and attention. Isaac C. Nelson was an engineer employed at the hospital.

On March 16, 1908, a will was executed in which, after providing for various relatives in the sum of [illegible] the residue, amounting to about [illegible] was to be held in trust by Isaac [illegible] the income to go to Lillian M. Nelson, wife of Isaac C. Nelson of [illegible] Nelson as long as sister Sarah E. Shaw lives."

A few days later, when Miss [illegible] was taken from the City Hospital [illegible] [illegible]

TAX ABATEMENT

NOW MORE SERIOUS MATTER THAN FORMERLY

A new law in regard to [illegible] of taxes is in effect [illegible] and it prescribes a fine of [illegible] imprisonment of six months [illegible] an assessor, assistant assessor [illegible] person who [illegible] contrary to the provisions of the law.

Will Paper Your Room for $2.00

We will paper your room, furnishing the paper and border to match, and hang the same in a first class manner for $2.00. Inside and outside painting, whitewashing, etc. Will cheerfully give an estimate on any work you intend to have done.

BAKER

The New Racket Phone 1272-1

303 MIDDLESEX ST.

LOOKS LIKE WAR

Spain and Morocco are Likely to Clash

MADRID, Sept. 24.—It is generally [illegible] Moroccan [illegible] the Moroccan [illegible] prevent the names of such of the [illegible] by the authorities. [illegible] of the interior insists the [illegible] government is not fighting its [illegible] but rather a widespread anarchistic plot.

[illegible] "The schools were [illegible] of the preaching of anarchist doctrines against religion and social order that could not be tolerated by any government. When the time comes we will vindicate ourselves before the courts."

PHYSICIANS ARE NATURALLY PREJUDICED

against proprietary or advertised medicines, as the sale of these remedies decreases their incomes.

However, this may be, the general public is benefited by the use of such standard remedies as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, with its wonderful record of thousands of cures among suffering women. We are very glad to say, however, that there are hundreds of honest physicians in the United States who do not hesitate to recommend such medicines.

WON A GRAPHAPHONE

A fine graphaphone was disposed of by lot last evening at the home of Mrs. Vitaline De Ford of 212 High street. Mrs. James Neeland drew the prize and received the congratulations of the party. An enjoyable hour was spent in social pleasantries before party dispersed.

NOT GUILTY

MEN WERE ACCUSED OF SHOOTING PRIVATE COULTER

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 24.—It was announced yesterday that the general courtmartial recently held at Fort McPherson had returned a verdict of acquittal in the case of W. L. Hazelhurst and Private Elam of the 17th infantry, U. S. A., charged with killing Private Edward Coulter of the same regiment. Coulter was shot and instantly killed by Private Elam who was a member of an arresting squad sent to quell a disturbance in a saloon near the fort. Lieut. Hazelhurst was in command of the squad.

MONEY TO LOAN

NOTES OF SALARIED PEOPLE and others also housekeepers, bought without security, easy payments. Offices in 56 principal cities. Don't be deceived by misleading advertisements, investigate actual terms of others, then save money by calling here. D. H. Tolman, Room 18, 45 Merrimack St.

Is Your Blood Pure?

Does your head feel heavy and ache? your throat dry, nose stopped up and hot, no appetite, little chilly feelings creeping along the spine, hands hot, feet cold, tongue furred, eyes burn, you feel sick all over? Ever felt this way before?

You are bilious. Nip it in the bud; do the right thing first. Promptness will work wonders. Start using Smith's Pineapple and Butternut Pills, take two to four at bedtime. You won't need any more; they will cure you in a night. Don't wait till you get down on your back, then it will take longer, but, even then, these pills will work wonders. They promote the harmonious action of the stomach, liver and bowels.

Get a bottle of your dealer today and take them home with you and use them when you experience any departure whatever from a healthy standard. They will make your blood rich, red, pure. Physicians use and recommend. They form no habit. You should always keep them on hand. These little Vegetable Pills will ward off many ills.

To Cure Constipation Biliousness and Sick Headache in a Night, use

SMITH'S PINEAPPLE AND BUTTERNUT PILLS — FOR Constipation, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache and Diseases of the Stomach, Liver and Bowels. NATURE'S LAXATIVES PRICE 25

60 Pills in Glass Vial 25c.—All Dealers.

SMITH'S BUCHU LITHIA KIDNEY PILLS — For Sick Kidneys. Bladder Diseases, Rheumatism, the one best remedy. Reliable, endorsed by leading physicians; safe, effectual. Results lasting. On the market 15 years. Have cured thousands. 100 pills in original glass package, 50 cents. Trial boxes, 50 pills, 25 cents. All druggists sell and recommend.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. [illegible]

WE HAND YOU OUR MONEY $10 AND UPWARDS WITHOUT DELAY

This is a pretty broad statement but a call at our office will convince you of the truth of our statements. We are not disparaging other concerns in this line but we know that the

Time, Thought and Attention we have given OUR SYSTEM

must produce better methods and accommodations for the borrowing public than the ordinary, old style plan of loaning money.

AMERICAN LOAN CO. AGENTS, Room 10, Hildreth Bldg., 45 Merrimack st.

OPEN EVENINGS THIS WEEK

MONEY —AT— One Per Cent

Do you have small outstanding bills? If so, come to us, and we will be pleased to furnish you with money to pay them off at One Per Cent. Per Month, returnable in small instalments to suit your ability.

LOANS

made on all [illegible] notice without publicity to salaried people, [illegible] to [illegible] and [illegible] If not convenient [illegible]

Merrimack Loan Co.

Room 8, 51 Merrimack st. [illegible] and Saturday evenings

MONEY to LOAN WE [illegible]

Call, Write or 'Phone [illegible]

NATIONAL LOAN CO. 40 CENTRAL STREET

AUTO ENDURANCE RUN

STOCKBRIDGE, Sept. 24.—Some 20 [illegible] automobile [illegible] participants in the Munsey automobile run from Washington to Boston and return [illegible]

BUSINESS CHANCE

$25 PER WEEK [illegible]

MISCELLANEOUS

KASSMAN'S HAIR VIGORINE [illegible]

CELLAR CEMENTING [illegible] Patrick J. Morris, 111 Lindsay st.

DRINK GLORIA for health; sold everywhere.

LIMBURG, [illegible] expert Chimney [illegible] and repaired. Residence, [illegible] Bridge st. Tel. 845.

MOTHERS—[illegible] Pale & Harden's Vows [illegible] Middlesex st.

LAWN MOWERS SHARPENED [illegible] and door plates made to order at Harry Gonzales, 173 Gorham st. Tel. 951-2.

SPECIAL NOTICES

KATHERINE F. McKEON, [illegible] chiropody and massage. Will go to your home, 75 East Merrimack St.

PLANET SOLE ROUNDER wanted. Also a Bresnahan sole moulder, and pullers; man to heel and slug heels. Apply Lowell Shoe Co., Stackpole St.

A SHINGLER wanted. Inquire at 157 Nesmith St., in forenoon or evenings.

DON'T BUY A PIANO until you have first obtained W. [illegible] figures. He will guarantee to save you not less than $50.00, 101 Westford St.

BOARD AND ROOM can be had at 31 St. James street, City.

NOONEN'S HAIR STAIN, Black Brown, 25c, 50c, Dows', Osgood's Opera Pharmacy, Noonan's, Centralville and Lowell Pharmacy.

THE TAILOR'S RULE made easy for dressmakers. Taught by M. J. Greaves, former principal of Lowell Dress Cutting school, Parkview House, 151 East Merrimack street. All kinds of repairing. Day or evening classes. Paris fashions cut and fitted.

CELLAR CEMENTING, sewer connections of any kind done by experienced men at reasonable figures. Estimates given. Best of references. Patrick J. Morris, 111 Lindsay street.

ROOMS PAPERED for $1.75. We will paper your room with neat up-to-date, will paper for $1.75. Send postal for samples. H. J. McCarthy, 641 Broadway.

FURNITURE MOVING—Hugh McGregor, furniture and piano mover, also dealer in wood and coal. Office 295 Broadway. Telephone 1471; residence 55 Chestnut street.

JOHN J. HAYDEN, whitewashing, painting; rooms papered $1.75. 23 Cady st.

MATERNITY NURSE, Mary A. Mulholland, 651 Gorham st., Davis sq.

WILL PAY THE HIGHEST PRICES for old fashioned furniture and feather beds. Send postal to P. Welner Co., Gen. Delivery, P. O., Lowell, Mass.

FISHERMEN take notice, fresh picked worms for sale at Harry Gonzales, 173 Gorham st. Telephone 951-2.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

WANTED

SECOND HAND COOKING RANGE wanted. Must be in good condition. Address T. N. V. Sun Office.

WOMAN WOULD LIKE TO GO AS PARTNER in a good paying business. Address D. Sun Office.

BOOKS, LIBRARIES, also Medal Magnet, Eagle, Flecks, Pomet [illegible] Merritt's Book Store, 277 Middlesex.

ROOMERS AND BOARDERS wanted in excellent house. All home cooking, steam heated rooms and modern conveniences. Mrs. Nettie Saunders 58 [illegible] street.

OLD FEATHER BEDS wanted. Guarantee to pay double the amount of any other dealer. Also old-fashioned furniture. Send orders to I. David, Gen. Delivery, Lowell.

I PAY THE HIGHEST PRICE in cash for any kind of second hand furniture. Call or send postal, W. Fox, 636 Middlesex st.

OLD FEATHER BEDS wanted. Guarantee to pay double the amount of any other dealer. Also old fashioned furniture. Send orders to L. David, Gen. Delivery, Lowell.

HELP WANTED

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE—Help of all kinds [illegible] Miss Rourke, 170 [illegible] St.

TWO TREERS AND PACKER wanted. [illegible]

EXPERIENCED CANVASSER wanted. [illegible]

FOUR FIRST CLASS CARPENTERS wanted. [illegible]

EXPERIENCED WOOD BOX MAKERS [illegible]

BUTTER ON BOYS SHOES wanted. [illegible]

WE HAVE AN OPENING FOR A YOUNG MAN [illegible]

GIRLS [illegible]

GENERAL HOUSEGIRL [illegible]

CHAUFFEUR 23 YEARS [illegible]

[illegible] MEN [illegible]

MACHINE PIN GRINDERS [illegible]

WANTED

Twister and Reeler Tenders, Shaw Stocking Co., Lowell, Mass.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

TO LET

12-ROOM HOUSE to let, bath, hot water connections, at 262 Fayette St. [illegible] 24 Concord St.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, steam heat, bath. The Columbia, 179 Middlesex St.

GOOD FIVE ROOM TENEMENT to let [illegible] just put in best of [illegible] per month. Three rooms [illegible] T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

ONE-HALF DOUBLE HOUSE to let, [illegible] rooms, bath, hot and cold water, [illegible] T. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

STEAM HEATED ROOM to let, $1.25 [illegible] suitable for two.

LODGING HOUSE, 790 MIDDLESEX st. [illegible] rooms to let, [illegible] cold water with [illegible] bathrooms, property.

[illegible] MIDDLE FLAT to let. All [illegible] bath and [illegible] Mead St.

HOUSE OF 7 ROOMS AND BARN to [illegible]

[illegible] TENEMENT to let, Sixsmith [illegible] modern improvements.

TENEMENT ON STACKPOLE ST., to let. [illegible] Merrimack.

NEW AND REMODELED TENEMENTS [illegible] Lawrence street.

MODERN FOUR AND SIX ROOM TENEMENTS [illegible] 182 Moody St.

7-ROOM TENEMENT to let, No. 11 [illegible] $11 a month. Apply [illegible] Merrimack street.

COTTAGE to let [illegible] Adams ave., Pawtucket [illegible] per month. Key [illegible] William A. Read, 228 [illegible]

FURNISHED ROOM to let, 59 Twelfth st. [illegible]

UP-TO-DATE TENEMENT of 7 rooms [illegible] at 15 Lombard st. to let. [illegible] hot and cold water. Apply [illegible] or 2 Thorndike st.

TWO TENEMENTS of 5 rooms, at 21 and 27 Stackpole st. to let. Rent $13 [illegible] Apply 25 Adams st.

MODERN HOUSE of 8 rooms to let [illegible] up-to-date conveniences; large yard, fruit and shade trees, and [illegible] Inquire 524 Rogers st.

APARTMENT OF 8 ROOMS with [illegible] improvements, to let. The Bellevue, 127 Stackpole st. C. A. Roberts.

NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS to let. Gentlemen preferred. Next to the Whistler house, 255 Worthen st. Meals if desired.

5-ROOM TENEMENT at 42 Barclay st. to let. Rent $9 a month. Apply Phillips & Schulz Furniture Co., 332 Middlesex st.

MODERN TENEMENT 5 rooms to let, pantry, bath, furn. [illegible] fine yard, shade and fruit trees, door and window screens, 15 minutes to [illegible] Everything O. K. [illegible] Tel. 2339-3 before 9 a. m.

STORE TO LET with tenement of [illegible] rooms connecting, at 24 North st. Rent reasonable. Apply at 25 North st.

TWO SMALL STORES to let, Nos. 981 and 987 Gorham st. at railroad bridge; rent $7 each per month. Will fix [illegible] to suit tenant. Inquire at 937 Gorham st.

NEW 4 AND 5 ROOM FLATS to let on Elm st., $6 and $7 per month. Inquire Jos. Flynn, 59 Elm st., or Flynn's market.

FURNISHED or UNFURNISHED rooms to let for light housekeeping. Steam heat, electric light. 75 East Merrimack st.

STORE TO LET cor. Broadway and Willie st. Inquire O'Brien's drug store.

LOST AND FOUND

A VALUABLE PAIR OF GOLD BOW EYEGLASSES lost Sept. 23. Finder will be given reward for return to Dr. C. T. Clifford, 59 Westford St.

STRAP AND WEIGHT lost, on Mt. Hope St., Tuesday, Sept. 14, 1909. Return to 80 Middlesex St.

GOLD CHAIN AND CHARM lost, near [illegible] Reward, C. A. Spencer, 29 Middle St.

RUBBER COAT lost, Wednesday evening between Westford and North Chelmsford, reward at Lowell Taxicab Co.

TAVERN WATCH lost. Dark steel case, with a Taft fob. Finder will please return same to B. Kahan, 1021 Gorham St., and receive reward.

SUM OF MONEY lost, last week, between Agawam and Central streets, by way of Lawrence, Swift and Whipple streets. Reward at 59 Agawam street.

SUM OF MONEY found recently. Owner can have same by describing property and paying for advertisement. Application can be made with finder [illegible] Sun Office.

GOLD CROSS AND CHAIN lost Friday, Sept. 17, either in Theatre La Scala or St. Peter's church, or on Gorham st. Reward if returned to 17 Burns st.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

HOME BUYERS should look over my large list of two tenements, cottages, and investment properties in all sections of city and suburbs. Many excellent trades. Small easy payments. Open Saturday and Monday evenings. M. J. [illegible] Real Estate, 22 [illegible]

TWO HOUSES IN CENTRALVILLE [illegible] the other four tenements [illegible] and paving. [illegible] walk from Merrimack Square. Apply to H. C. Hope, 350 West [illegible]

FOR SALE

POOL AND BILLIARD TABLES for [illegible] Inquire D. [illegible] Andover, Mass.

FURNITURE for sale, Bureaus, commodes [illegible] beds, stoves and [illegible] at 73 North St.

HORSE, BUGGY AND HARNESS, for [illegible] Stedman St.

FOUR YOUNG SOUND HORSES for [illegible] 1250 pounds.

UPRIGHT PIANO for sale. Fine make, [illegible] Will sell [illegible] 15 16th St.

BAKERY [illegible] an excellent [illegible] business together with [illegible] stock of bakers' supplies [illegible] the owner is [illegible] Bakery, Sun [illegible]

HALLET & DAVIS SQUARE PIANO, [illegible] Inquire at 235 [illegible]

FOR SALE

Former Residence of Mrs. Ransom Reed, 61 NESMITH STREET, Opposite the Park

[illegible] rooms, bath, [illegible] floors, and [illegible] improvements. Excellent [illegible] Apply to

HENRY MILLER & SON, 7 Merrimack Street

A THOUSAND CORDS OF WOOD

Of all kinds for sale. Prompt delivery. Wholesale or retail. Tel. 2020. A. A. Brown, 73 Inland st.

GREAT ENTHSUSIASM

Com. Peary Tendered Monster Welcome by Maine People

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 24.—Fifty thousand wildly enthusiastic men, women and children, their path ablaze with red fire last night, cheered Commander Robert E. Peary, the Arctic explorer, from the Maine Central railroad station a mile across the city, to the spacious auditorium, where a public reception, one of the greatest in the history of the state of Maine, was held. Maine, amid tumultuous enthusiasm, claimed the sturdy explorer as her own.

After receiving a continuous ovation from the Canadian border line on his railroad journey across the state, the only Maine man to go "north of 89" stepped from the platform of the Pullman car attached to the Bar Harbor express into a clamoring mob of impatient citizens. They had been awaiting his home-coming for nearly an hour. Almost immediately he was surrounded by a cordon of police, who had to pull their night-sticks to keep the swaying crowds away. Meanwhile, two bands stationed in front of the depot struck up a lively air and slowly the commander made his way toward the side of the great granite building. Here he was met by Mayor Adam P. Leighton of this city and Mayor Fred G. Hamilton of South Portland.

Slowly the man, whose name is the topic of conversation in every household, moved toward an open carriage, which stood waiting a short distance away. The crowd broke into a prolonged yell. Peary stood up for a moment, bared his head, and bowed slightly. At that moment a sky rocket whizzed up in the air and bursting directly over his head with a loud report shot forth a shower of red, white and blue stars. The commander, casting his eyes heavenward, gazed across a sea of up-turned faces. The crowd stopped its yelling. Everyone thought he would make a speech.

"I love my cook, but oh you Peary," shouted a youngster from the crowd and the cheering began with renewed vigor.

Procession Starts

As the bands started playing a march air, the procession moved off from the station. In the first carriage came Commander Peary, Governor Bert Fernald, Mayor Leighton and Mayor Hamilton. A second carriage contained President William De Witt Hyde of Bowdoin college and two members of the governor's staff. In other carriages were seated the members of the reception committee and the city governments of the sister cities.

Following marched four companies of the militia and a band of the naval reserves. At intervals, all through the line there were citizens carrying torchlights.

As the parade moved up Congress street hill Commander Peary arose from his seat and bowed to the cheering crowds. The windows in most of the houses were packed, and American flags floated gently in the evening breeze.

At the fire engine house a great clanging of bells began and at every corner stood a band of automobiles, whose occupants tooted their horns as the distinguished visitor and his party passed by. The Henry W. Longfellow mansion flickered with hundreds of lights. When Exchange street was reached, the military companies went ahead of the carriages. Then, amid another prolonged burst of cheering, Peary was escorted down through the lines of soldiers to the auditorium.

For a few minutes the crowds that were swarming about the outside of the big red brick building under the glare of the great electric arc lights were held in check.

"Well, what do you think of the demonstration, commander?" he was asked when he was finally inside the hall.

"I am gratified and honored," he answered quickly.

State and City Officials

In the centre of the auditorium a raised platform had been erected. At the further end was Mayor Leighton, and beside him stood Commander Peary, then Gov. Fernald, Mayor Hamilton and President Hyde. The governor's staff, clad in their bright military uniforms and gold lace, were drawn up in a line behind the five men who were to do the handshaking. The doors were thrown open and the crowd began to surge in. A side line of people were passed up the narrow aisle to the receiving platform as fast as it was possible. They were only able to catch a hurried glance and quickly shake the hand of Commander Peary. There he stood in a blue serge suit, the coat of which was of the cut worn before the commander's last dash for the top of the world. He also wore a blue outing shirt, with the usual small rolling collar and a white tie. A small white rose dropped from the buttonhole of his coat. In striking contrast to the commander were the men in evening dress about him. He looked everyone who shook his hand squarely in the eye, his own blue eyes denoting a happy, but weary, man.

"How do you do?" "Thank you," "Yes," and "It's Great" were his own exclamations as the line passed hurriedly by, while out of the large drill floor behind him swayed backward and forward an ocean of humanity, eager to clasp the hand that has touched the North pole.

Bending low to this little girl in her red coat and blue hair ribbons, smiling and grasping firmly the small hand of a lad with dishevelled hair, and bowing respectfully to that old, gray haired woman who had braved the crowds that she might shake his hand, the great explorer spent two solid hours. A few months back and he could not see a living soul for miles around; now there were thousands all about him.

"It's great," he kept repeating first to Mayor Leighton on one side, and then to Gov. Fernald on the other, "it's great"—it's great."

Banquet in His Honor

Finally after the monster crowd had been satisfied and had been sent outside the building, Peary was taken to the Falmouth hotel, where a big banquet was held in his honor.

All the while a tired, happy mother, with her two children, one a lad of six summers and the other a bright young lady had quietly and unobserved, except by a few who knew her, driven to her hotel. This woman was Mrs. Peary—the woman, whom the commander has said, helped him plan his 23 year conquest of the far north.

Commander Peary was the central figure last night in the only public function which the explorer will attend until the North pole controversy is settled. It was a brilliant affair and some four hundred citizens from Portland and South Portland were present.

Although seemingly worn out from his long railroad journey from North Sydney, C. B., the Arctic traveler sat at the head table, the centre of attraction, with a contented, happy smile lighting up his careworn face. In the centre of the head table rested a snow white candy image, representing the North pole with the Stars and Stripes flying from its apex, while all about little white snow men were dragging miniature sledges.

Commander Peary sat at the centre of the head table clad in the same neat blue suit which he wore at the reception. An unexpected ovation was accorded the man, who is home at last, while the banquet was in progress. As he started to leave the hall, a great cheer began and as he passed between the tables he was cheered again and again.

Beside the speakers at the head table were Cyrus H. K. Curtis, John Kendrick Bangs, the celebrated author; Congressman John P. Swasey of the second Maine district; President Wm. A. Wheeler of the local board of trade; Prof. Albert E. Burton, dean of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and Judge Sewall C. Strout of this city.

The speechmaking began about midnight, when Judge Edward C. Reynolds of So. Portland, a lifelong friend of the commander, was introduced as toastmaster of the evening.

Following a brief address by Judge Reynolds, Gov. Bert M. Fernald, formally welcomed Commander Peary on behalf of the state of Maine.

Gov. Fernald was followed by Mayor Adam P. Leighton of Portland, Mayor Fred G. Hamilton of South Portland, and President Hyde of Bowdoin college.

Judge Reynolds introduced Commander Peary.

It was an hour past midnight when Commander Peary arose to speak. He was greeted by a great outburst of applause and some minutes elapsed before the explorer was able to make himself heard.

Peary's Reply

Commander Peary's response was brief.

"You know as do I that today has been a whole better day for me," he began. "This splendid demonstration in this city, every foot of which I knew in my boyhood days, this splendid gathering here, that striking loyalty from the governor straight from the shoulder, the fine tribute from Mayor Leighton to Mrs. Peary, who has equal of as much as I in this effort, have touched my heart as they will you, I know. The words of Mayor Hamilton were a source of pleasure. From President Hyde you have listened to a clear enunciation of the meaning of some of the things in regard to the attainment of the pole.

"It is to us a thing for any egotism and irrespective of any individual, it is the emblem of the stars and stripes that it stands for, with the top of the earth that has been cosmopolitised.

"I have been asked what is the scientific value of the discovery of the North pole. There are some things about it that are a great deal greater than the gathering of a few additional data about the earth. As long as there was a part of the earth undiscovered, it was a reproach on humanity and a challenge to civilization. Another thing, it has accredited to the United States another milestone in history. The way the pole has been enveloped in mystery for 300 years, it surely will be recognized as another milestone in history.

"Another fact is the satisfaction that at last a man in spite of every obstacle has made good (cheers). Again, gentlemen, I thank you from the bottom of my heart for the courtesies of tonight."

Toastmaster Reynolds then presented him with a loving cup in behalf of the citizens of the sister cities "in recognition of his achievement in nailing the Stars and Stripes to the North pole."

"Gentlemen," responded the commander, "permit me with the assistance of this loving cup in spirt to drink the health of the state of Maine and ourselves. Again, gentlemen, I thank you most deeply in words I cannot express."

The gathering dispersed after all had shaken Commander Peary's hand. Then he retired to his suite of rooms where Mrs. Peary and the children had sought much needed rest several hours.

The Peary family will proceed by motor boat to their summer residence at Eagle island, today.

GEN'L. HUBBARD

HAS SOME OF COMMANDER PEARY'S DATA

BAR HARBOR, Me., Sept. 24.—General Thomas H. Hubbard, president of the Peary Arctic club, held a conference yesterday at Bangor with Commander Robert E. Peary and returned here last night bringing with him some of the preliminary data and records which are to be used to maintain the position of the explorer in the Cook controversy. These records will be carefully considered within the next few days and General Hubbard and Commander Peary will confer here either next Sunday or Monday. This conference may result in an announcement making public any information in the possession of Commander Peary concerning Dr. Cook.

Peary has placed his case in General Hubbard's hands, and a meeting of the officers of the Peary Arctic club will be called at the earliest possible moment by General Hubbard. The meeting will be held in New York.

"Concerning Dr. Cook," said General Hubbard last night, "I would say let him submit his records and data to some competent authority and let that authority draw its own conclusions from the notes and records taken in the field."

While Peary and General Hubbard will discuss what societies the commander's data shall be laid before the Coast and Geodetic Survey at Washington will examine the records in an official capacity inasmuch as Commander Peary is an officer of the navy attached to that bureau at present.

Kittredge's orchestra, Prescott hall, Saturday night.

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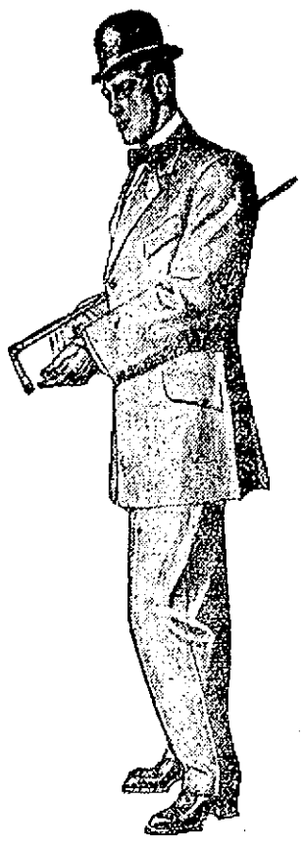

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ADMIRAL SCHLEY

Presided at the Cook Banquet

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Cheered by a thousand men and women as he entered the banquet hall last night on the arm of Rear Admiral Winfield Scott Schley (retired), Dr. Frederick A. Cook later told his story before the most brilliant audience that he has addressed since he left the court of Denmark. The banquet was given by the Arctic Club of America, of which Dr. Cook is a member, in recognition of his last polar venture which culminated in his announcement that he had reached the North pole. While there was no official representative from either state or nation, the assemblage was cosmopolitan and enthusiastic. Crowded in the great ballroom of the Waldorf-Astoria they toasted the Brooklyn explorer and listened attentively to his recital in the form of an after-dinner address.

Among those at the table were explorers, some of whom knew the dangers and suffering of the Arctic zone almost as well as Dr. Cook himself. Men of science were there also, but the explorer addressed himself primarily to the great majority of his hearers whose interest in polar conquest has but lately been aroused. Commander Peary's name he did not mention except at the end of his speech when he said: "There is glory enough for all." Then it was that Peary's name mingled with those of other explorers to whom he referred with reverence.

Seated beside the explorer beneath the blue flag of the Arctic club were Rear Admiral Schley; Caral Moltke, the Danish minister; Patrick S. McGowan, president of the board of aldermen, and Bird S. Coler, president of the borough of Brooklyn, Dr. Cook's home town.

Admiral Schley presided and introduced Dr. Cook with many eulogistic expressions in his ability and confidence in his attainment.

Kindling wood at your storeman's. Insist on getting Quinn's, and note the difference. 5c bag.

LAWRENCE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

If the allegations of a growing lack of interest in the industrial school have any foundation or otherwise, the institution will begin business this year under pretty rosy auspices. The night classes maintained last term will be a secondary feature of the school this term, which will boast a day school with several teachers' jobs calling for pretty good money. The course of the school this term may justify the very free expenditure of money for salaries, but in any event the industrial training idea is costing Lawrence a pretty penny. As this city seems a sort of experiment station for the movement, the success of the school, providing it shall prove a success, may gain us fame afar off. If the lack of interest noted last term shall be the case this term, then the city will achieve fame merely as a good thing for patriots who would serve their country and state in public office.—Lawrence Eagle.

Kittredge's orchestra, Prescott hall, Saturday night.

TWO JUSTICES

To Arbitrate the Sugar Trust Case

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24.—After an extended discussion of the terms of settlement in the $30,000,000 suit brought in New York by the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining Co. against the American Sugar Refining Co., Judges Wilson and Audenreid in common pleas court here yesterday agreed to act as arbitrators in the matter and determine finally whether the compromise offered by the American Sugar Refining Co. should be accepted.

BIG CROWD

EXPECTED AT THE HOLY NAME SOCIETY COMMUNION

The breakfast committee of St. Peter's Holy Name society held a meeting last evening and discussed the arrangements for the event. The communion day of the society will be Sunday, October 10th, and the breakfast will be held in Lincoln hall. Vice President Richard Lyons presided and the committee was of the opinion that a larger crowd than has yet appeared on any similar event would attend. Secretary Ward will send out the double postal cards within a week and the committee desires that the members send in their replies as soon as possible.

GEN'L LAWRENCE

Sovereign Grand Commander of Masons

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—With the election of Gen. Samuel C. Lawrence of Medford as sovereign grand commander, the choice of the other officers and the selection of Detroit, Mich., as the place of the next meeting the supreme council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors General of the 33rd degree, Scottish Rite of Free Masonry of the northern jurisdiction closed its sessions here last night.

The third Tuesday in September was named as the date for the 1910 meeting.

Other officers elected were:

Lieutenant grand commander, Barton Smith, Toledo, O.

Grand administrator of state general, John C. Smith, Chicago.

Grand treasurer general, Newton A. Arnold, Providence, R. I.

Grand secretary general James H. Codding, New York.

Grand keeper of archives, Leo M. Abbott, Boston.

Grand master general of ceremonies, Thomas E. Balding, Wisconsin.

Grand marshal general, R. A. Shirrefs, New Jersey.

Grand captain of guards, Col. G. O. Tyler, Vermont.

Among the state deputies chosen were:

New Hampshire—Dr. George W. Currier.

Massachusetts—Leo M. Abbott.

Rhode Island—Dr. George B. Kenyon.

Vermont—Marshal O. Perkins.

BIG FIRE

BROKE OUT IN CRESCENT PARK LAST NIGHT

EAST PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 24.—Crescent Park, one of the most famous parks in New England, was threatened with destruction by a fire that broke out in the Steeplechase last night. The blaze spread rapidly, destroying three or four neighboring structures when help was called from Providence which sent a hose wagon to the scene. The largest owner of the property is Col. R. A. Harrington of Providence.

Twelve buildings in all were destroyed and the total loss is estimated at about $5000 covered insurance. Among the places destroyed were the animal house, three large clam houses and the large bake house. The blaze started in the animal house from some unknown cause.

80 YEARS OLD

IRA E. HARTWELL OBSERVED BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY

Ira E. Hartwell, one of Lowell's oldest citizens celebrated his 80th birthday yesterday at his home in Varney street, and the occasion was observed by a family reunion. Mr. Hartwell has resided in this city for almost 70 years, and can distinctly recall the passage through the city of a New Hampshire regiment en route to the Mexican war, away back in 1845. Mr. Hartwell, has also the proud honor of having built the first brick oven, for baking purposes, in this part of the country. He is in the possession of all his faculties, and is enjoying excellent health.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL.

Court Merrimack, Foresters of America, is making big arrangements for the 30th anniversary of the formation of the court, which will be observed with a banquet at Associate hall on Wednesday evening, Sept. 29. Among the guests who have accepted invitations to be present are the following: Supreme Treasurer Edward B. O'Brien of Lynn, Mass.; Supreme Secretary T. M. Donnelly of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Supreme Recording Secretary J. W. Slattery of Westboro; Grand Chief Ranger John R. Feeley of Pittsfield, and William J. Mountain of Gardner, grand treasurer. Local members of the order holding office in the grand and supreme bodies will also attend. An elaborate program has been arranged by the entertainment committee.

Court General Shields

A well attended meeting of Court General Shields, Foresters of America, was held last night, Chief Ranger Jas. J. Gaffney presiding. There were five applications for membership and one candidate was initiated. The ways and means committee reported that plans were well under way for the coming social and dance which is to be held in Foresters hall in October.

The committee on class initiation reported that the grand class initiation will take place on the evening of Nov. 11. A prize of $5 in gold, as first, and a $3 hat as second, will be given to the members bringing in the largest number of candidates on that evening.

Toward the close of the meeting interesting remarks were made by Brothers Green, Moss, McMullen, Keenan and Daly.

Spindle City Circle

The regular meeting of Spindle City circle was held last night in Post 120 hall, C. C. Alice Devine in the chair. There were visitors present from Boston, Lynn, Lawrence and Salem. Considerable routine business was gone over. At the conclusion of the business session a social hour was enjoyed.

Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F.

Centralville Rebekah lodge 137, I. O. O. F., held its regular meeting Sept. 22, with a good attendance. Several applications were received. The 14th anniversary of the lodge will be celebrated Oct. 14.

TAX ASSOCIATION MEETING

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 24.—Instead of going on record for or against the corporation tax law in accordance with the desires of opposing [illegible] of the International Tax Association's delegates, the association yesterday adopted resolutions [illegible] to a meeting of governors of all the states which the association asked to be called by Governor Augustus E. Willson of Kentucky.

In prefacing the report of the resolutions committee, its chairman, Professor Charles J. Bullock of Harvard university, announced that after several strenuous hours of deliberation the committee had decided to hang together until a unanimous agreement could be reached.

This he intimated had been done at some difficulty.

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Portion of Allowance to Mrs. Shaw

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—The Shaw divorce case came up by continuance in the equity session of the superior court yesterday on the motion of Mrs. Nettie E. Shaw for allowance for counsel fees and expenses.

It became known that in accordance with an arrangement made a week ago, her husband, Senator James F. Shaw, paid her $1000 on account. No further hearing was held on the motion. The divorce case will be tried later in Essex county.

CURTAIN ON FIRE

DEPARTMENT RESPONDED TO ALARM FROM BOX 53

An alarm from box 53 shortly after 6 o'clock last night summoned a portion of the fire department to a slight blaze in the old Brooks house in Tyler street. The wind blew a curtain against a lighted gas jet the result being that the curtain caught fire. The damage was slight.

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WORCESTER, Sept. 24.—A reorganization of the Worcester Electric Light Co., to extend its business and to enable it to purchase any other company which the directors may want to secure control of, has been proposed to the stockholders in a circular letter mailed last night by the directors.

The J. G. White company of New York is understood to be behind the deal, and J. G. White is named as one of the trustees of the new holding company which will be known as the Worcester electric securities company. This new company will have a capital of $2,000,000, and the trustees offer to the present stockholders for their shares two shares of the new stock for every one of the old, and a cash bonus of $100 a share.

The present Worcester electric light company is capitalized for $[illegible], and the stock is quoted at $[illegible] a share, on a par value of $100. The company has paid 10 per cent and before that 5 per cent. dividends for two years. It is expected that the new stock company will pay an average dividend of 5 per cent a year.

The men selected to act as trustees under the new holding company are Lincoln N. Kinnicutt, William [illegible], Dr. Homer Gage, Charles M. T[illegible], Frank A. Drury, T. Hovey Gage, Alexander H. Bullock and [illegible] of Worcester and J. G. White of New York.

Arrangements have been made with the J. G. White company for the examination of an expert engineering force to operate the company. The sales of electricity for the year ending June [illegible], 1909, by the Worcester electric company were $[illegible] and it is estimated this can be [illegible] in three years.

GONE 4 YEARS

WOMAN WANTS TO KNOW IF HUSBAND IS DEAD

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—Mrs. [illegible] of 26 [illegible] West [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] was then in New York. He expressed a desire that the son come [illegible] him, but the son preferred to remain with his mother. [illegible] children have assumed the mother's maiden name.

85 ARE INDICTED

Action Taken by U. S. Grand Jury

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., Sept. 24.—James C. Maybray and 84 alleged associates were yesterday indicted by the United States grand jury for the southern district of Iowa, charged with conspiring to defraud by illegal use of the United States mails. With the exception of Maybray and three or four others, none of those indicted are in custody, and for that reason the names of the defendants were not made public.

It is stated that the list includes many persons known in criminal annals in all parts of the country.

It is authoritatively stated that the amounts lost on fake race horses by the alleged victims of Maybray and others named will exceed half a million dollars.

Kittredge's orchestra, Prescott hall, Saturday night.

The thrifty trades at Coburn's.

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a6.44	7.53	8.15	9.02
6.49	7.30	9.00	9.39
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SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.20	8.00	9.08
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
3.50	5.00	2.15	3.23
5.45	7.00	3.30	4.4[illegible]
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		8.40	9.52

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.46	7.55	z7.00	8.10
8.04	8.55	7.30	8.52
9.30	10.44	9.24	10.35
10.53	11.55	10.55	11.52
12.05	1.10	11.50	12.54
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9.35	10.38	9.35	10.33
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*Runs to Lowell Saturdays only.
a Via Lawrence Junction.
b Via Bedford.
c Via Salem Jct.
z Via Wilmington Junction.

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.40	7.30	9.00	10.00
7.22	8.05	10.00	10.57
8.00	8.45	11.30	12.07
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9.56	10.16	5.00	6.02
10.50	11.38	7.30	8.05
2.25	3.27	8.30	9.08
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7.30	8.23	10.29	11.33

LOCAL NEWS

Commercial Printery, Tobin's

Undertaker Finnegan, Davis Sq. Tel.

Kittredge's orchestra, Prescott hall, Saturday night.

Order your coal now at Mullin's, 953 Gorham street. Best coal in the city.

Dr. Clifford wishes to notify his customers that he has returned and is again ready for business at 99 Westford St.

Teeth extracted and filled without pain by the Obtundine system of painless dentistry. Dr. Gagnon, 466 Merr'k st.

The Thompson Hardware Co. is giving a demonstration of its famous Ideal Food Cutter. The price is only 95c. Every household should have one.

George H. Wood's clock advertisement cut from The Sun of yesterday is worth 51 cents. He takes this method of advertising to call attention to his clock bargains for the week. No jewelry house in this city carries a larger line of clocks than George H. Wood. Low prices are quoted for a few days to reduce the stock.

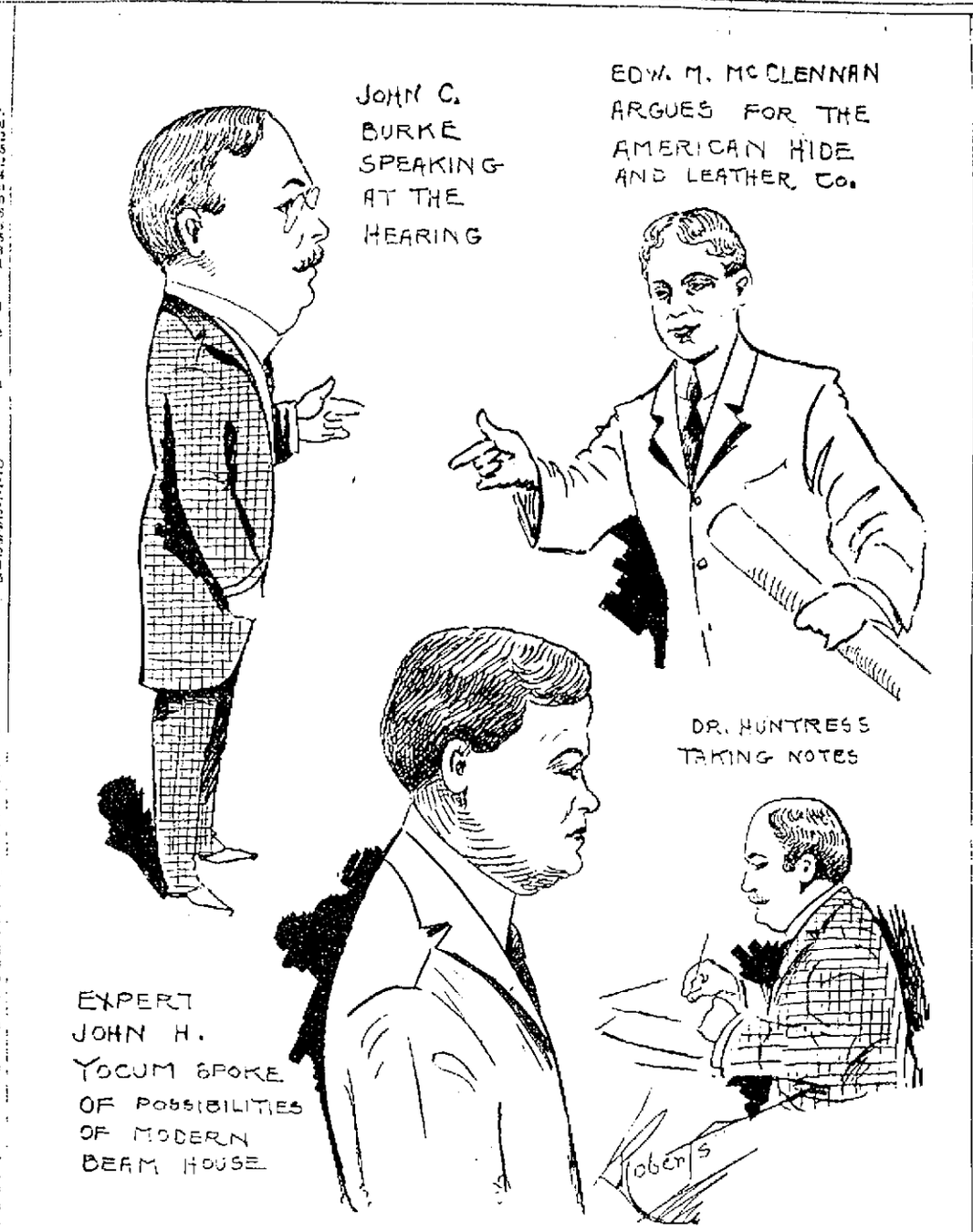
Money deposited in the Lowell Five Cent Savings bank on or before Saturday, October 2, 1909, begins to draw interest from that date.

GOV. JOHNSON BURIED

ST. PETER, Minn., Sept. 24.—The body of Gov. John A. Johnson was buried in the family lot in Green Hill cemetery here yesterday afternoon in a grave adjoining that of his mother. The body was brought here from St. Paul. The funeral cortege, escorted by state militia and representatives of state and civic organizations, proceeded to the Presbyterian church, where the body lay in state and was viewed by hundreds of citizens of St. Peter before the religious services were held.

The funeral was attended by many distinguished men from Minnesota and other states.

Brief services were held at the cemetery and the local company of national guard fired a salute as the casket was lowered into the grave.



SKETCHES AT THE TANNERY HEARING LAST NIGHT

TANNERY HEARING

Continued

interested itself in the matter, dwelling principally upon the loss the employes would suffer if the beam house were suspended or moved to another city. The beam house he said is the fundamental process in leather making and if it be seriously interrupted the Perry street factory would have to shut down.

The hearing room was packed mostly with the employes of the company. There was also a number of people there ready to oppose any proposition to move the beam house to Perry St.

Dr. Huntress, chairman of the board of health, presided at the hearing. At just 8 o'clock he declared the hearing opened, and said a few words for the guidance of counsel and others. He asked them to be brief and to confine themselves absolutely to the question of whether a nuisance exists in Howe street. He promised that the hearing would be conducted as expeditiously as possible with due regard for the rights of all concerned. Dr. Huntress gave the petitioners an opportunity to be heard, but they had finished on Monday, and Lawyer Edward M. McClennan of Boston, counsel for the American Hide and Leather company, opened for the remonstrants.

Lawyer McClennan

He said that the American Hide and Leather company did not propose to continue its beam house in Howe street; that the company intended to continue its business there only until such time as it has provided itself with a beam house elsewhere. He said he was in doubt as to the real question before the board, and the different petitions to the board of health praying for an abatement of the nuisance were read.

Mr. McClennan said he should infer from the different petitions read that they proceeded along different theories. He asked if he was right in inferring that no beam house would be permitted upon the premises providing the present one was a nuisance.

He said he had evidence to present that would be relevant providing the question of the building of a modern beam house was permissible.

Dr. Huntress said the board had not yet decided that there was a nuisance there, and Mr. McClennan was allowed to proceed along the lines originally intended by him.

He explained at great length the many details connected with the tannery business, and he said it would seem that a concern doing a large business in a cautious and orderly way might expect to have its interests fully and justly considered.

He referred to the investment of capital by the American Hide and Leather company, and gave his version as to what constitutes a nuisance. He said there was always the danger that persons owning property in a certain locality would, for the purpose of enhancing the value of their property, appeal to a judicial board for an abatement of alleged nuisance. Such complaints, he said, might come from persons who bought their property with a knowledge of what they were buying and what the nature of the surroundings were.

He said he was prepared to show that the beam house in Howe street was conducted with more regard for the public in general than any other beam house in the country today.

"We seek to show to you," he said, "that a beam house can be constructed upon the present site with proper provisions that will prevent the escape of odors, so that they will not be noticeable more than ten feet from the building."

Expert Yocum

Mr. McClennan at this point introduced John H. Yocum, a man of beaming experience, and he was asked to tell what could be done by modern methods of beaming and he was supposed to know all about beaming.

He said the odors were due in 99 cases out of 100 to vapors, and he allowed the vapors could be carried away. He cited a case in New Jersey, where a similar complaint as that raised in Lowell had been met and he told how it was overcome. Suction fans seemed to play an important part. He said that by modern methods the odors complained of were easily and readily overcome.

He said the odors that escape and have been escaping from Howe street are not injurious to public health. He said the strongest odors do not come from decayed animal matter.

In reply to a question by Mr. Murphy of the board he admitted that pigeon and hen manure is used in the beam house. He did not know how much was used.

The Howe street beam house he said is one of the least objectionable in the country.

Mr. Yocum said he observed the opening of a sewer into the Concord river at that point and he allowed that sanitary conditions in neighboring property were not the best. He said that combustion would destroy all the odors arising from the beam house and that the most obnoxious odors come from the pickled stock. He thought that was what the public objected to.

He admitted, however, that a plant in Peabody, one of modern construction and equipped with modern improvements, gives off worse odors than the Howe street plant.

Lawyer John C. Burke

Mr. John C. Burke said it was the company's intention to do away with the business in Howe street as soon as possible. He presented a petition having several signatures of persons who do not consider the beam house in Howe street a nuisance. The petitioners prayed that the American Hide and Leather company be allowed to continue in business in Howe street until such time as the company can arrange for and build a modern beam house.

Leather Workers' Petition

The petition presented by Mr. Burke carried about 600 signatures. He said that the members of the Leather Workers' union, many of whom were present, had no knowledge of what the action of the company was to be. "I did not know that these men were to appear here," said Mr. Burke. "Many of them own their homes here and I presume they feel that the removal of this property would be a great injury. The important question before the board is simply whether a reasonable time will be given the company to close up the matter."

Dennis Healey

Dennis Healey, president of the Leather Workers' union, was called upon. He said that about 200 men connected with the union were employed by the American Hide & Leather Co., and were receiving, he said, a fair rate of wages. He preferred to the attitude of the press and said that from some things that were mentioned in the papers, persons working for the company and owning their own homes were alarmed. He said that he called a special meeting of the union for last Sunday afternoon for the purpose of discussing the matter and about 200 members attended the meeting. He said that the action of the union was not influenced in any way by the American Hide & Leather Co.

Dr. Martin of the Board

Dr. Martin said he presumed that the speaker did not quite all that the press said on the question, and he referred to the records of the previous meeting, when the board gave assurance that if considered it had two questions to deal with: Whether or not a nuisance existed in Howe street, and if so, how best to deal with it, and that the board would not take any steps that could be considered unjust to any parties concerned.

Henry A. Smith

Henry A. Smith, president of the board of trade, said that while we do not want a commercial community at the expense of the public health, yet we do want in every proper way to foster commercial interests. He wondered whether or not the nuisance, if there is one, might be abated under modern methods.

Major Stott

Counsel McClennan called upon Maj. C. A. Stott, who began by saying to Dr. Huntress that 20 years ago he occupied the same position as the doctor occupied last night. The major referred to the time when he was mayor of the city and likewise chairman of the board of health.

Major Stott said that in his estimation there is no nuisance in Howe street, but it came to pass that the major had a wrong conception as to what constitutes a nuisance. He thought a nuisance must be something detrimental to health.

Being corrected on this point, he said: "I am caught there, but it does not faze me."

"Would anything?" asked the chairman.

The major allowed that there is a disagreeable odor in Howe street, but he said it was not detrimental to health and he questioned how much it affected the value of real estate. He said that the company ought to be given an opportunity to show that the nuisance could be abated by modern methods.

Mr. McClennan said in closing that it is not the intention of the company to conduct the business in that building beyond a reasonable time in which to house itself.

Dr. Martin asked if the building had not been condemned and was told that it had not.

The chairman gave the petitioners an opportunity to speak further, but none responded and the hearing was declared closed.

HATS

We're After Your Hat Trade

This store has built up a tremendous hat business--We did it by values. We want your trade--If we get it this fall it's ours for good--We give extra values for the price--See our great hat window; it's the talk of the town.

Special Style 4343 Special

Our special this fall (style 4343) is a winner; the early sales have been very large—Do you know about our specials? Each season we have a special--Each season it's been the popular hat—Our special is guaranteed in every way--If it doesn't turn out well bring it back and get your money--It's a $3 shape--It's a $3 quality—It looks and wears like a $3 hat, and we run it as a special at

Colors black and brown. **$2.00 each**

We specialize the Tex and Lennon & Hubbard as $3.00 stiff hats.

We specialize Stetson's fine Hats at $4 and $5.

We specialize the Student, Essex, Trooper, Gopher in soft hats in the new shades at $1.50, $2.00 and $3.00.

Buy your fall hat here.

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TALBOT CLOTHING CO. AMERICAN HOUSE BLOCK, Central, Cor. of Warren Sts.

A MONSTER FURNITURE SALE

Truthful Advertising Creates Public Confidence

The excitement of the automobile races is now a thing of th past—a glorious finish. The excitement has now reverted itself to Middlesex street where BORNSTEIN & QUINN, Lowell's "live" furniture dealers, are conducting their wonderful cut price furniture sale.

DON'T LET THE PRICES PREJUDICE YOU, for we are selling the finest high grade Furniture, Stoves and Carpets at less than 60c ON THE DOLLAR.

IRON BEDS

Iron Bedsteads, strongly built, with brass trimming, worth $3.50. Price $2.50

Iron Bedsteads, continuous posts, very heavy, worth $7. Price $4.75

SPRINGS

Woven Wire Springs, made of heavy pipe iron with strong protection in centre. Regular price $3.50, now..... $1.98

National Springs made of heavy steel fabric with best oil tempered helide springs, guaranteed, all sizes. Regular price $5.00, now..... $2.98

MATTRESSES

Soft Top Mattresses, made of good quality ticking, all sizes, one or two parts. Everybody's price $3.00. Our price $1.98

Soft Top and Button Mattresses, made of best quality ticking, one or two parts. Regular price $3.50, now $2.98

Combination Mattresses, made of rattan fibre and padded with white cotton all around, a mattress that we recommend and guarantee to keep its shape. Cost $6.00, now $3.95

Our Sanitary Mattress is made of white cotton felt, best quality ticking, finished with the imperial rolled edge. Worth $8.50. Price ..$5.95

RANGES

$30.00 Ranges, removable nickel trimmings, made of heavy smooth castings and guaranteed baker. Price with pipe $22.50

$35.00 Ranges in plain or ornamental designs, guaranteed baker. Price with pipe $26.50

PARLOR SUITS

5-Piece Parlor Suits, finished in mahogany and upholstered in velour. Regular price $25.00, now $15.90

6-Piece Parlor Suits, finished heavy and polished, beautifully carved and upholstered in verona with spring edge, cheap at $60, now.....$42.50

DRESSERS

Dressers made of oak, golden finish and have large French plate mirror. Regular price $9.50, now $6.98

Dressers made of quartered oak, polished, large French plate mirror and serpentine swell front. Regular price $16.00, now $12.98

MORRIS CHAIRS

$7 Morris Chairs, frames made of oak, golden finish and have reversible cushions upholstered in green velours. Sale price $4.98

HALL STANDS

Hall stands with large shaped French plate mirror and cast brass hangers, very beautiful, worth $12.00. Sale price $8.45

SIDEBOARDS

Handsome Sideboards finished in American quartered oak; would be cheap at $18.00, now $12.98

Sideboards made of quartered oak, polished, beautifully carved and have large French plate mirror. A bargain at $25.00. Price $17.95

Sideboards made of quartered oak, polished, have large French plate mirror and cast brass trimmings; extraordinary value at $30. Reduced to $22.50

DINING TABLES

Extension table with heavy fluted legs, finished in golden oak. Regular price $7.50, now $4.98

Round Extension Tables, heavy pedestal leg in centre, polished; would be cheap for $15.00, now $9.95

COUCH BEDS

Drop Side Couch Beds, frames made of heavy angle iron and fitted with National springs; can be opened into a full-sized bed, complete with mattress and bolster. Regular price $6.50, now.....$4.69

Sliding Couch Beds; we have nothing but the best. Can be opened into a full-sized bed or taken apart and used as two separate beds, complete with mattresses and pillows. Regular price $8.00, now $5.95

PARLOR STOVES AT HALF PRICE

It is perhaps a little early to talk parlor stoves to you, but we have a few left over from last season and will get rid of them at any old price. It will pay you to look at them.

FREE SOUVENIRS given away to everybody on Friday and Saturday.

Bornstein & Quinn 160-162 MIDDLESEX ST.

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America's Greatest Heater. Handled in Lowell Exclusively by

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Moving Pictures. Illustrated songs. Show afternoon and evening.

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AEROPLANE CONTESTS AT RHEIMS

TEN CENTS—THAT'S ALL

STAR THEATRE

MERRIMACK STREET

New Pictures Today

2 to 5 SEATS 5c 7 to 10

THE KIND YOU WANT

Artificial teeth that can't be detected are made by Dr. Allen, Old City Hall.

Next week is "quarter week" at the Lowell Five Cent Savings bank.

Lowell Opera House

Proprietor--JULIUS CAHN--Manager

TONIGHT

Edward C. White's Special Production of Charles Dickens' Immortal Story,

DAVID COPPERFIELD

With an Excellent Cast and Appropriate Scenic Settings.

Prices--$1.50, $1.00, 75c, 50c, 25c.

Sat. Sept. 25. Matinee and Night.

A BROKEN IDOL

WITH OTIS Harlan AND SIXTY MORE

Mat. 25c to $1.00. Evening 25c. to $1.50. Seats today.

BASE BALL

WASHINGTON PARK, SEPT. 25

Mt. Groves vs. Y.M.C.A.

Second Game of Series

Game called at 3 p.m.

ADMISSION—15 CENTS

Athletic Meet

By the I. A. A. C., Spalding Park, Saturday, Sept. 25. All entries may be obtained at the office of the Y. M. C. A. in Hurd street or at the C. Y. M. L. rooms in Suffolk street. Entry list closes Thursday night. Entries 25 cents and 10 cents extra for each event. The prizes are on exhibition in the window of Harry Raynes, Central street.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

Week Sept. 20 Every Evening

HOWARD-COLLISON TRIO, In "A Pie of Dresden China."

THE ALDINES

FOUR SULLIVAN BROS.

JERE McAULIFFE.

LYONS AND YOSCO.

McADAMS and HIS TALKING DOG HATHASCOPE.

LEWIS McCORD & CO. in "Winning on Wind."

Ladies' Bargain Matinee Every Day

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EXTRA

SULTAN OF MOROCCO

Sought Foreign Intervention in Trouble With Spain

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—The attempt of the sultan of Morocco to obtain foreign intervention in the conflict between his country and Spain was detailed in a despatch made public today from United States Minister Dodge at Tangier to the state department.

In a note addressed to the diplomatic corps the sultan through his representative expressed his alarm at the large Spanish forces in the Riff territory and requested the diplomatic corps to inform their governments that they may invite the attention of the Spanish government in a friendly manner to the danger incurred by its action. Mr. Dodge added that the French minister to Morocco, who is dean of the diplomatic corps, was about to address a circular note to the corps, saying that the French government did not consider this a case in which it should take action.

It is not thought that the United States will take any action in the matter.

DAMS DESTROYED

Rush of Water Caused Damage Estimated at $200,000

FERGUS FALLS, Minn., Sept. 24.—Four dams, one a new concrete structure completed by this city last fall for the purpose of operating the electric light plant, at a total cost of $60,000, were destroyed by a rush of water early today and the total damage will be about $200,000. The lighting station and all of the machinery was wrecked by the rush of the water.

A mile down stream the flood carried away the city water works dam, a wagon bridge and three railroad bridges, the Red river dam, the Fergus Woolen mill dam and part of the Wright dam.

BOARD OF HEALTH

Says Am. Hide & Leather Co. Will Have to Leave Howe St.

The American Hide and Leather company must abandon its premises in Howe street. The nuisance there must be abated for the board of health has so declared.

At a special meeting of the board held shortly after the noon hour today, the following motion offered by Dr. Martin and seconded by Mr. Murphy was unanimously adopted:

"The board of health finds from all evidence submitted, and from personal investigation of the premises on Howe street and the adjacent territory that the beaming house and the business as therein conducted is offensive and a nuisance to the neighborhood in which it is now placed.

"But in view of the assurances given to this board by the American Hide and Leather company that it is their intention to remove said beaming plant to another location at once, and to erect a building or buildings on new and improved methods satisfactory to this board, we therefore withold immediate condemnation proceedings against said premises.

"But unless said American Hide and Leather company shall remove said beaming plant to another locality to be approved by this board within such time as this board shall deem sufficient for the purpose, then this board will condemn the same and order an immediate abatement thereof."

PETITION PRESENTED

The following petition which is self explanatory was presented by Dr. Martin:

To the Board of Health of the City of Lowell:

"It having been reported that the American Hide & Leather Co. is proposing to remove that part of its business known as the beaming process from Howe street to its works in Perry street, subject to the approval of your board, the undersigned residents and taxpayers of the city of Lowell respectfully pray that your board will not grant permission to said company to carry on such business at its Perry street works or at any point in that neighborhood, as they believe that the same, however, conducted would be offensive and detrimental to the comfort and health of the inhabitants of that section of the city:

C. S. Lilley, The Rogers Hall school by C. W. Whidden, George A. Leahey, M. D., James J. Kerwin, Albert J. Pinder, Frederick P. Marble, Thomas F. Costello, Edward J. Gallagher, Charles Dana Palmer, George W. Dutton, Albion C. Taylor, Harry Dunlap, George A. Chase, Boyden H. Pillsbury, M. D., Daniel J. Donahue, Joseph J. Hennessy.

Would Seek Injunction

If the board of health did not decide against the continuance of the tannery nuisance in Howe street it was the intention of the petitioners for the abatement of the nuisance to carry the matter to the courts. That much was said after the hearing last night.

The petitioners listened to the testimony of Expert Yocum last night and allowed that if what he said was true, a new beam house with all modern appliances would not make any difference. The beam house would smell the same. They had heard him say that the smell from the modern beam hous with its modern appliances in Peabody was more offensive than the fumes from the beam house in Howe street. That was about all they cared to hear.

It was stated this afternoon that the American Hide and Leather company would appeal from the decision of the board of health. Asked if it was true that the company would appeal, John C. Burke, Esq., said: "I am not in a position to know. At the hearings I represented the Leather Workers' union, not the American Hide and Leather company."

DEATH LIST GROWS

Latest Report is That More Than 100 Persons Perished

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 24.—Belated reports today of death and destruction from Monday's hurricane in Louisiana and Mississippi show extensive loss of life and property. The list of dead is now over 100. With little hope that a number of others reported missing escaped, the total dead may reach 160. News of fifteen additional deaths along the waterways between Morgan City, La., and the gulf and on the adjacent coast have been received. Nearly all of these were fishermen caught in small craft by the storm.

Stories brought here by persons arriving from the stricken districts reveal many pathetic and unusual occurrences. A four-year-old child was found lodged in the branches of a tree on the lower coast of Terrebonne parish, having survived for three days without food or water.

One of the striking incidents of the relief work along the coast was the rescue of a family in a small boat in which a baby had been born an hour before the relief steamer arrived.

REVOLVER SHOTS

Were Heard by Cousin of the Murdered Man

CLINTON, Sept. 24.—Following a private inquest into the cause of the death of Dr. Henry Stone of Newburyport in the district court here today a preliminary hearing was given Raymond Plouffe and George Lapointe of Harvard, who are charged with the crime. The body of Dr. Stone was found in Harvard on Sept. 17, where it is believed to have lain since Sept. 13. On that night he left the home of his sister in a buggy driven by Plouffe to go to a railroad station.

This was the last seen of him.

At the request of Asst. Dist. Atty. Stiles of Worcester county, who conducted the government's case, the inquest was private. At its conclusion the hearing was begun.

The most important facts developed at the hearing before a recess was taken for lunch in the testimony of Charles H. Stone, a cousin of the dead man, and Charles Stone, his nephew, that they heard two revolver shots on the night of the murder. Their home is a quarter of a mile from the scene. Hitherto no person could be found who had heard shots.

Dr. Tobey, medical examiner, testified to finding two bullet wounds but stated that neither or both would have caused Dr. Stone's death. Multiple fractures of the skull which he found and which were undoubtedly caused by blows from large stones might have caused death, he said. Other witnesses heard before recess were Mrs. Charles Davis, sister of the murdered man, Deputy Sheriff Fillebrown and State Officer Robert M. Molt of Worcester.

COL. HAPGOOD DEAD

CHELSEA, Sept. 24.—Col. Charles Hapgood, superintendent of the Soldiers' home here and a veteran of the Civil war, died at the home today. He was 79 years old. Col. Hapgood had been ill for some time and had not actively had charge of the institution for more than a year.

LIABILITIES ARE $660,079

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—The Suffolk county grand jury came together for a special session today to hear evidence in the case of Sederquist, Barry & Co., brokers, who went into bankruptcy recently. The books of the company show there are about 800 creditors concerned. The firm's liabilities amount to $660,079 while the assets are $127,367.

LIGHT FOR CHILDREN

Among children a light that will not blow out, that emits no odor, that has no open flame, is the only safe light.

Use electric light and take no chances.

Do you know how much it will cost you? If not, ask us. We will explain.

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AUTO TOURISTS

NEARING END OF FIRST PART OF TRIP

WORCESTER, Sept. 24.—Wet, mud-besmattered and somewhat behind schedule, the van of the Munsey auto tourists arrived at this checking station this afternoon. A Crawford car No. 24 was the first to arrive, checking in at 2.17. Shortly after a Matheson, a Marmon and a Croxton-Keeton arrived. The committee held the early arrivals here some time before sending them off on the last leg of the first part of the tour the arrival in Boston being the halfway mark.

CENSUS BUREAU

WILL ANNOUNCE COTTON GINNING REPORT ON MONDAY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—The census bureau today announced that the cotton ginning report which was to have been issued at noon on Saturday Oct. 2 has been postponed until 10 o'clock a. m. Monday Oct. 4. Saturday being a half holiday the exchanges would be closed.

BASEBALL GAMES

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24.—American: Philadelphia-Cleveland game postponed on account of rain. Two games tomorrow.

American at New York—New York-Detroit game postponed, rain.

American at Washington—Chicago-Washington game postponed, rain.

American at Boston—Boston-St. Louis game postponed, rain. Double header tomorrow.

POLAND WATER

For Sale by

GEO. A. WILLSON & CO.

F. and E. BAILEY & CO.

TO BEGIN WORK

On New Mill at Forge Village

The cement foundation for the new three story brick mill that is being built for Abbot & Co. at Forge Village is completed and work on the building will commence shortly. When finished it will contain all the latest improvements in machinery, and will furnish work for a large number of people. The old spinning room, formerly the mail shop, has been torn down and the new mill will take its place.

GREAT LUCK

PATRICK L. LYNCH MAKES A GREAT CATCH

Patrick L. Lynch, the well known clerk with the Robertson Brothers company, is receiving the congratulations of his friends these days for the reason that Patrick, with friends, has just returned from a three days' fishing trip and he had the very best fisherman's luck, bringing back several hundred pounds of "Rock" cod. Saturday evening his friends, to the number of about a dozen, will be treated to a rice old fashioned fish dinner.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The directors of the Illinois Central railway company today adopted a resolution expressing their profound grief at the death of E. H. Harriman and "the sense of the great loss which the company and its stockholders have sustained."

"By his untimely death," the directors declared, "the company has lost a faithful director, the country a useful citizen and we, who were intimately associated with him, a loyal friend."

427 ARRESTED

In This City During Month of August

The report of arrests as furnished to the board of prison commissioners of the commonwealth by Clerk John J. Flaherty, Jr. of the Lowell board of police, and which was sent to that body today shows that there were 427 arrests in Lowell during the month of August. Of that number 361 were men, 38 were women and 28 minors.

Of the number of arrests 324 were for drunkenness and of that number 24 were women. The arrests for crimes against public order, etc., amounted to 380; against the person, 24; against the property, 23.

There were 20 arrests for assault, one for manslaughter, and three for threatening. There were 19 arrests for larceny during the month while one man was charged with breaking and entering. Two were arrested on suspicion of larceny.

Of the persons arrested 122 were non-residents.

JUDGE DANA

HAS NOT RETURNED YET FROM HIS VACATION

Judge Dana, who heard the review of the evidence in the police board matter is still on his vacaton. He is in New Hampshire, hence the delay in his decision.

PRIMARY ELECTION FRAUDS

ALBANY, Sept. 24.—Gov. Hughes today, transmitted to Atty. Gen. O'Malley the complaints he has received alleging primary election frauds in New York city. The attorney general is authorized under the penal law to act in these matters.

SMOOTH PAVING

Work to be Started in Bridge Street

Poor Bridge street is being [illegible] again. No sooner does an old wound heal than a new one is opened and the doctor's bills are something terrible. She is undergoing a painful operation at the present time but she has the assurance of her physicians that after this operation she will be stronger than ever that even [illegible] will not leave an impression and the jar of an automobile will not amount to as much as a smell in the [illegible].

The street railway company is completing its line of new rails in Bridge street, making ready for [illegible] the smooth paving [illegible] Merrimack street is being pushed right along and within a comparatively few days the [illegible] will be [illegible] Merrimack square.

It is understood that the street railway has connected with the [illegible] for the square and will have it in position by the time the [illegible] are about "clear the way." To get the whole job done before the arrival of Jack Frost is the hope of the street department.

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PRESENTED PURSE OF GOLD

The esteem in which Mr. William E. Mahoney, former division superintendent of the Boston & Northern Street Railway company, is held by the employes of the road was evidenced last night when a number called at his home in Foster street and on behalf of the employes of the road presented him a purse of gold.

The presentation speech was made by John McIlroy. The members of the committee who had charge of the presentation were Messrs. John McElroy, Edward J. [illegible], Michael Reagan, [illegible] and Maurice Lyons.

GRAVESEND RACES

GRAVESEND, N. Y., Sept. 24.—First race: Dr. Holzberg, 110, Dugan, 13 to 5, 2 to 10, 1 to 4 won; Racquet, 1[illegible], Lowe, 7 to 2, 3 to 10, 1 to 4, second; Prince Gal, 121, Grand, 8 to 3, 1 to 2, 1 to 5, third. Time 1.11.

Second race.

Bellevew, 101, Upton, 4 to 1, 7 to 5, 1 to 2, won; Superstition, 106, Glass, 5 to 2, even, 2 to 5, second; Choirmaster of Chesterbrook, 100, Mulligan, 13 to 5, even, 1 to 3, third. Time, 2:04.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

CHARITY DEPT.

HAS FEWER CALLS FOR OUTSIDE AID

The charity department reports that during the past week there have been fewer applications for outside aid than for a long time. The crops at the city hospital are in splendid condition and the potato and vegetable supply will be more than up to the standard of former years.

This morning Harry H. J. Howe spent over an hour at the city auditor's office, and during that time he was occupied in examining and making copious notes of the contract entered by the charity board with Dr. J. H. Sparks regarding the ambulance service. When the charity board member was asked by a Sun reporter what all this meant his reply was that there was nothing to it. "Merely a little information for myself."

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WANTS MONEY BACK

Attorney Says Justice Moody's Cousin Was Fleeced

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—A case that is of great interest to many Boston people in that one of the people [illegible] suit is a cousin of Justice Moody of the United States supreme court and [illegible] lation of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, is coming to [illegible] county court and will be [illegible] merits.

The bill is [illegible] and was originally filed in the Suffolk county, [illegible] was transferred [illegible] bility be heard in Salem.

It is brought [illegible] Daniel T. O'Connell, administrator of the estate of Harriet L. Moody of Newbury, who died on May [illegible] of the present year, at the age of [illegible] years, was brought suit against Mary C. Hill, Walter F. Hill and Edward M. Hill, the first two living in Newbury and the last named in Georgetown.

The bill sets forth that Harriet L. Moody had for a long time been in a feeble condition mentally and physically and that she had had on deposit in the Newbury Five Cent Savings bank $1600, Institution for Savings $1578.28, Haverhill Savings bank $718.23, Georgetown Savings bank $177.17, and in the Salem Savings bank $428.06.

That three months before her death Mary C. and Walter Hill induced her to come and live with them, where she was attended by Dr. Hoyt, and that the three conspired to secure her property by undue influence on March 22, 1909, by representing that the [illegible] on their house, where she was, would be forced [illegible] the Georgetown Savings bank induced her [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

Attorney O'Connell [illegible] in his bill that the respondents in the case not only unduly forced the old woman to give them her money, but forced her to [illegible] her book to them [illegible] for withdrawal of money and that they filled them out afterward.

Miss Moody died without leaving any trace of a will, and as there are no direct heirs in this section of the country the court appointed Lawyer O'Connell administrator of the estate. The only known direct heirs are three grandnephews who live in Nebraska and are being communicated with.

TO HOLD RECOUNT

Registrars Will Canvass Vote Again

There have already been filed at the office of the city clerk two petitions for a recount of votes cast in the 15th and 16th representative districts, and the recounts will probably be held Saturday morning at 9 o'clock in the public hearing room on the second floor of city hall. The recount will be under the supervision of the board of registrars.

PEARY RESTING

Tired After His Journey of 770 Miles

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 27.—The morning hours today were devoted to rest by Commander Peary and his family in their rooms at the Falmouth hotel all being much fatigued by their 770 mile journey from Sydney, C. B., last night's remarkable demonstration on their home coming and the [illegible] at which the banquet was concluded. Breakfast was served to them in their suite and none of the members of the family were seen about the hotel until shortly before noon. The [illegible] launch kept at their summer [illegible] Eagle Island was brought to the city during the forenoon in readiness to take Commander Peary, Mrs. Peary and the two children to Eagle Island about noon. The distance is 15 miles and the trip requires nearly two hours.

It is understood Mr. Peary will go to Bar Harbor Sunday or Monday for a conference with Gen. Thomas H. Hubbard, president of the Peary Arctic club, to whom he consigned important papers yesterday bearing on the Cook controversy.

B. R. POLLOCK

MADE GENERAL SUPT. OF NEW HAVEN ROAD

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 24.—Official announcement is made today of the appointment of B. R. Pollock, as general superintendent of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad to succeed W. E. Baird. Mr. Pollock is superintendent of the Midland division, of the New Haven system.

POLICY OF PARTY

To be Decided Upon by Prohibitionists Today

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—The policy of the prohibition party in the national campaign of 1912 and possibly the presidential campaign will be tentatively determined today by the scores of party leaders who are in Chicago to celebrate the 40th anniversary of the founding of the party at the Hotel LaSalle. Notable members of the party, including former candidates for the presidency and vice presidency, are in attendance, and it is asserted that the gathering will be tantamount to a national convention in point of attendance of men who direct the affairs of the party.

It is said that a movement is on foot to have adopted a rough draft of a 1912 platform, which would deal with current conditions politically, tariff and other things as well as the basic principle of abolishing the legalized liquor traffic.

Among those here are J. E. Russell, aged 87, temporary chairman of the first convention, who arrived from Boston yesterday, and John H. St. John of Kansas, 76 years of age, who was presidential candidate in 1884.

COOK'S SPEECH

Added Nothing New to Controversy

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The enthusiasm that greeted Dr. Frederick Cook at the Arctic club's dinner last night at the Waldorf Astoria is admitted even by his opponents in the North Pole controversy to have been a great personal tribute. Some disappointment is shown, however, because the explorer's after dinner speech added no new evidence to the dispute. Such evidence of this kind is expected from the [illegible] lecture which the explorer is scheduled to deliver here later and in various other cities.

Interest regarding Dr. Cook's personality is still high. His suite at the hotel is besieged by crowds and he is a marked figure when he takes his daily outing, usually in an automobile in the parks. The explorer is gradually mapping out a program.

In addition to fulfilling the demands of his heavy correspondence he is busy in the preparation of his lecture. The first will be delivered here Monday night.

Public interest is beginning to centre on the coming of Commander Peary, and, as its forerunner, the return of his [illegible] the ship [illegible] Roosevelt, which is expected here before the end of next week.

It is a subject of remark that only one member of the Peary Arctic club attended last night's Cook dinner. The throng was composed almost entirely of members of the Arctic Club of America, which has championed its membership for Dr. Cook, his neighbors in Brooklyn and men who had already [illegible] the Brooklyn explorer.

Commander Peary's friends say that the lines between the two rivals and their supporters are sharply defined and that the [illegible] for Dr. Cook has been no new concert.

FUNERAL NOTICES

McDANIELS—Died in this city, Sept. 22, at her home, 458 East Merrimack street, Miss Elizabeth McDaniels. Funeral at her late residence, 458 East Merrimack street, Saturday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

DONAGHUE—The funeral of Charles A. Donaghue will take place Sunday afternoon at 1.30 from his late home, 2 Marion street. Burial will be in the Catholic cemetery. Charles H. Molloy and Sons in charge.

IN POLICE COURT

Bicycle and Other Thieves Fared Badly Today

Antoine Barry pleaded guilty to the larceny of a bicycle, the property of Medoric Lamere. He was ordered to pay the owner $10 and also pay the court $10, the latter amount to be paid within two months. In the meantime Barry is to be placed in the custody of the probation officer.

Assaulted His Wife

William Carroll, who was yesterday found guilty of assaulting his wife, was sentenced to three months in jail this morning, but shortly after sentence had been passed the case was dismissed and Carroll was turned over to Probation Officer Ramsey, it having been learned that he had been placed in that officer's care at the last session of the superior court.

Another Wife Beater

Harold Newcombe, who was in court last Friday and found guilty of assaulting his wife came up for sentence in court today. Judge Hadley upon continuing the case last week felt that in the meantime Mr. and Mrs. Newcombe would reach some mutual understanding, but they failed to do so and the court ordered Newcombe to pay $3 a week to his wife. Joseph Loughran appeared for the complainant and D. J. Donahue for the defense.

Placed on File

Agnello N. Alvernaz was arrested yesterday on a warrant charging him with the larceny of $10 from one Antonio Nunes de Ponte. It was alleged that the defendant acted as a broker who made a business of sending money to the Azores for his fellow countrymen, but failed to send the money paid him by the complainant. This morning in court a settlement was made and the case was placed on file.

Ransacked a Room

Joseph Denoncour, who also travels under the name of Joseph Cote, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Inspector Walsh and in court this morning Denoncour was charged with drunkenness to which he pleaded guilty. In a second count he was charged with the larceny of a suit of clothes belonging to George Reynolds, while a third count charged him with the larceny of a suit of clothes and a hat, the property of William Wilbur. He entered pleas of not guilty to the larceny counts.

According to the testimony offered in the case the defendant had been living at 83 Joan street and sometime yesterday he entered the rooms occupied by Reynolds and Wilbur and stole the clothes and afterwards sold them to second hand clothing dealers in Middlesex street.

He was found guilty and a fine of $30 imposed, the money to be paid in three days or else go to jail for four months.

Out Again—In Again

Michael Brown, who was released from the state farm Saturday, got into all kinds of trouble last night and this morning when he appeared in police court he was a sight. One of his cheeks was cut open, his nose was bruised out of shape and one of his eyes looked as though it would leave the socket at any moment. It seems that he felt so elated at being released on parole that he immediately started out to fill up. While trying to navigate over Merrimack street near the corner of Central, where the Boston & Northern has been relaying its rails, he stumbled over a rail and battered his face against one of the irons. Patrolman Petrie arrived on the scene shortly after Brown met with the mishap and sent him to the police station. He was sent back to the state farm this afternoon.

Two Months in Jail

Ella Green, a young woman who lives in Graniteville, but whose love for intoxicating liquors has caused her to lead a rather vicious life, was before the court this morning and was sentenced to two months in jail.

Thomas E. Tyrell will be returned to the state farm. Patrick J. Cleary was fined $6, one drunk was fined $2, and two were taxed $2 each.

Liquor Forfeited

The liquor seized at the Kable farm in Tyngsboro during the automobile carnival was this morning declared forfeited to the state.

MAFIA ARRESTS

300 Are Planned by the New York Police

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—It developed yesterday that within a month detectives will have rounded up about three hundred men in Greater New York, who came here from Italy with criminal records, added to these records in New York and vicinity, and who, in [illegible] wanted in connection with the assassination of Lieutenant Joseph Petrosino in Italy.

This fact, not obtained from Commissioner Baker or any of his immediate subordinates, was learned by a reporter seeking an interview with Mr. Baker concerning the report that 127 men had been arrested in Palermo, Italy, in connection with the murder of Petrosino. All the commissioner would say was:

"Four important men have been arrested in Palermo. They are Italians. Their arrest was [illegible] by the Italian authorities, who sent here for their [illegible] records while they were in this country. I have nothing further to say."

When "Tony" Vachris, Italian lieutenant, was seen, he said:

"Acting under orders, I have nothing to say about any investigation into the records of Italian residents of this city, or any other foreigners."

Nevertheless Vachris, Lieutenant Crowley, who also was in Italy on a mission similar to Petrosino's and other detectives are working hard to perfect evidence against the several hundreds of foreigners they intend to arrest. So important is Vachris' job that he has been made a personal aide to Mr. Baker in the latter's office, where it would be pretty hard to "get him," as the thugs express it.

Crowley has nothing to say concerning the contemplated wholesale arrests, which are expected to rid the city of some of its most dangerous residents—blackmailers, bombthrowers, and the like.

GEN'L HUBBARD

Made Examination of Peary Data

BAR HARBOR, Me., Sept. 24.—Examination was made today by Gen. Thomas Hubbard, president of the Peary Arctic club, of the data and observations of Commander R. E. Peary's dash to the pole and of the information which Commander Peary has obtained [illegible]

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verey.

ARMY OFFICERS

CONTINUED THEIR "HIKE" AT FORT BANKS

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—Over ground rendered wet and muddy by a rain which fell most of the night the four army officers of the department of the east, who are participating in a three days' walking test, continued their "hike" at Fort Banks today. During six and one-half hours they maintained an easy gait which was expected to enable them to cover 50 miles. The test walks will be concluded tomorrow.

C. PAYNE DEAD

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—It became known in financial circles today that C. Payne, formerly a member of the firm of Payne, Webber & Co. of this city, died at the Massachusetts General hospital last night of kidney trouble. Mr. Payne was 56 years old. He was a director in many copper mining companies and interested also in other ventures. He left a large fortune.

SHARKEY COMING

Thomas Sharkey, the boxer, writes that he will be in Lowell this evening to referee the events at the Spalding park athletic meet tomorrow afternoon. He will probably take the 7.30 o'clock train from Boston.

IT DESERVES IT

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LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

GRAND SPECTACLE

All in Readiness for the Hudson-Fulton Celebration

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—All the units which are to compose the magnificent marine and aeronautic spectacle during the celebration of the 300th anniversary of the discovery of the Hudson river and the 100th anniversary of Fulton's first trip up that river in a steamboat were gathered in and about New York today with the single exception of one of the aeroplanes. And a strange and wonderful fleet of marine and air craft they would have made if assembled in comparison. Here was the little Half Moon with her towering poop and stumpy spars in which Hudson navigated the river three hundred years ago. Across the harbor was the reproduction of the Clermont capable at the best of steaming several miles an hour with her uncovered paddle wheels in striking dissimilarity with the great turbine steamer Lusitania which came in this morning. Lying outside Sandy Hook bar with three other British war vessels was the splendid British battleship Inflexible, one of the heaviest hitting, fastest and most costly of the British navy. Four German cruisers, the Victoria Luise, Hertha, Bremen and Dresden, came majestically up the harbor this morning amid the salutes from the batteries, which they returned gun for gun, and took their places in the long column of American, French and Mexican ships already at anchor in the Hudson.

The Inflexible with Admiral Sir Edward Hobart Seymour in command joined the other British ships off Sandy Hook this morning and anchored there at the head of the British column, awaiting a favorable opportunity to come up the bay. This ship is regarded as one of the most interesting objects of the great assemblage. With her arrival the gathering of the fleets would be complete for the harbor was already dotted with beautiful steam yachts in readiness for the naval parade tomorrow when the Half Moon and the Clermont will be escorted around the harbor and up the Hudson river, to be saluted by the warships anchored there.

Over on the flat land recently added to Governors island two plain, homely wooden structures mark the presence of the latest and most remarkable development of the aviators—the aeroplanes of the Wright brothers and Glenn H. Curtiss. Mr. Curtiss, however, was in Hammondsport, N. Y., assembling his areoplane. He intended to bring his flyer to New York Saturday and may make preliminary flights Monday.

WM. C. RUSSELL

Was Not Present in Court Today

CAMBRIDGE, Sept. 24.—Despite the best efforts of would-be process servers William C. Russell of Melrose, defendant in the case in which his brother, Daniel R. Russell of Dickinson, N. D., seeks to recover a half interest in their father's $700,000 estate, was still absent from the courtroom today. The forenoon was occupied with the testimony and cross-examination of boyhood friends of the petitioner, all of whom identified him as the son of Daniel Russell whose property is the subject of litigation.

MRS. VANDERBILT

DECLINES TO DISCUSS REPORT OF MARITAL TROUBLES

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., with her son and daughter, William K. Vanderbilt, 3rd, and Miss Muriel Vanderbilt, returned to New York from abroad today on the Cunard liner Lusitania. When asked to make a statement concerning the recent report of her marital troubles she replied:

"I cannot say anything at this time. I have been so much in the public eye that I do not wish to make any statement."

Fred C. Church carried the insurance on the Farrington property, Tyler street, damaged by fire last night.

LAWSON IS ALIVE

He and Friend Thought Drowned

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—E. P. Lawson and his friend who were supposed to have been drowned in the Hudson last night when the launch Madegaro struck a tow line of the tug Edward H. Meade were found safe on shore this afternoon. The third man of the party has not yet been found. Lawson and his friend got to shore after more than an hour in the water. The police in small boats aided by sailors from the French flagship Lajustice searched the waters all night believing the occupants of the launch were drowned.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

The following marriage licenses were issued this morning:

Wilfred Areand, Carmel, Me., 24, engineer, to Albertine Gagne, 109 Perkins street, 19, mill operative.

Geore Psihianis, 91 Arch street, 30, mill operative, to Fatcenna Boisvert, 91 Arch street, 30, mill operative.

Charles Arthur Denault, 130 Tenth street, 39, milkman, to Delina Ayotte, 4 rear 467 Moody street, 37, weaver.

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—After a generally firm opening the Boston market lapsed into dulness and weakness today. While the gains and losses were fractional the latter were most in evidence.

COOK, TAYLOR & CO.

MERRIMACK STREET STORE.

Special Bargains

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Ladies' Suits, Skirts, Waists, Raincoats, Jumper Dresses, Wrappers, House Dresses, etc., at Lowest Prices Ever Named at This Season.

Fine Tailored Serge and Panama Suits, $5.98, regular price $10.50.

Fine Serge and Broadcloth Suits, all colors, $5.98, value $15.

125 Ladies' and Misses' High Grade Sample Suits, all sizes and shades, for this sale $12.98 Each.

Balance of our Linen Skirts, formerly sold for $1.00 and $1.25, for 50c Each.

75 Pretty Panama Dress Skirts, all shades, to close $1.49 Each.

Pretty Panama and Serge Dress Skirts, all shades and sizes, $1.98 Each for this sale.

The greatest slaughter sale of fine Shirt Waists ever known Friday and Saturday.

Good Lawn Percale Working Waists, 15c Each.

All our 50c and 59c Lawn Waists, 33c to clean up.

All our 97c, $1.25 and $1.48 Fine Lawn and Lingerie Waists, to clean up, 59c Each.

High grade Tailored and Lingerie Waists, 69c, from $2.00.

Fine Silk and Lace Net Waists, $1.98, from $3.98.

Fine Mercerized Rubberized Raincoats, $2.93, value $6.50.

Fine Silk Sicilian Rubberized Raincoats, $6.98, from $10.

Odd Lot High Grade Raincoats at Half Price

All our $1.98, $2.98 and $3.98 Lawn, Percale and Gingham Jumper Dresses, 98c to clean up.

Over 200 dozen New Percale and Flannelette Wrappers and House Dresses, just in from the Ideal Manufacturing Wrapper Co. Prettier styles, better materials and lower prices than ever before. Sizes from 34 to 52.

SPECIAL HALF PRICE LIST FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Good Kid Gloves (all shades), 50c a Pair.

All our Lisle Gloves (all shades), 10c a Pair.

A good, long Corset for 59c, worth 50c.

A regular $1.00 P. N. Corset for 69c.

A regular 75c Corset for 50c.

A good 50c Summer Corset for 19c.

Odd lot Corsets, 10c, worth 59c.

Fine Corset Covers, lace and ribbon trimmed, 15c, value 25c.

A good, heavy Cotton Drawer for 15c a Pair.

Ladies' Low Neck and Short Sleeve Night Robes, 50c, from 85c.

Ladies' Heavy Cotton Night Robes, for Friday and Saturday, 29c Each.

50 dozen Ladies' New Flannelette Night Robes, prettily trimmed, heavy good, 39c Each; better than any we have seen for 50c elsewhere.

A good Black Mercerized Petticoat for 29c, worth 50c.

[illegible] White Muslin Skirt, deep flounce trimmed, for 49c ever shown.

Children's Dresses, half price to close.

Hosiery, Gloves and Underwear at cut prices.

COOK, TAYLOR & CO.

MERRIMACK STREET STORE.

DEATHS

DONAGHUE—Charles A. Donaghue, aged 72 years, an old and well known resident of St. Patrick's parish, died early this morning at his home, 2 Marion street. He leaves to mourn his loss, besides his wife, Theresa E., six daughters, Mrs. Mary E. Peters of Concord, N. H., Mrs. John C. O'Neil, Mrs. James Carnock, Mrs. John J. Leonard and the Misses Hannah and Lottie Donaghue, all of Lowell; two sons, Charles and Edward of Philadelphia. He was a prominent member of Post 42, G. A. R.

McDANIELS—Miss Elizabeth McDaniels, for many years a teacher in the Lowell High school, died at her home Wednesday evening, 458 East Merrimack street, after an illness of only a week. Miss McDaniels was seized with a paralytic shock a week ago, and failed to rally from its effects.

She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McDaniels and was a native of Lowell. For many years she was a teacher in the Lowell high school where many Lowell young people came under her instruction, all of whom cherish the most pleasant recollections of her quiet gentleness and painstaking care, and all of whom will learn of her death with profound regret.

Miss McDaniels exerted a quiet, but none the less potent, influence on the intellectual life of the community. Possessed of a wide general knowledge and of a genial sense of humor as well, she made herself a most delightful companion to a circle of strong friends who found in her a constant inspiration. She was a member of the Fortnightly club, and had been at various times its president. Since leaving the high school staff, which she did several years ago, she had made her activities largely intellectual and charitable, doing much quiet good of which the world heard and knew little. She made her home with her sister, Miss Charlotte McDaniels, who survives her, as do also two brothers, Prof. Joseph H. McDaniels of Hobart college, Geneva, N. Y., and Mr. Walter H. McDaniels of this city. Her funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2.30 from her late home.

SEVERANCE—Walda Severance died yesterday afternoon at the [illegible] hospital after a short illness, aged [illegible] years. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker Albert H. Ready on Jackson street.

RAPAZA—Mrs. Marie Rapaza, aged 28 years, died yesterday afternoon at her late home, 6 Linden street. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, Seriaga, and two children.

FUNERALS

WATSON—The funeral of Mr. [illegible] G. Watson took place from the Lowell cemetery chapel yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. George F. Kenngott, pastor of the First Trinitarian Congregational church. The bearers were [illegible] Harvey E. Greene, Fred [illegible] and Henry G. White. Burial was in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Mr. Frederick A. Peffer [illegible] under the direction of Undertaker [illegible] W. Healey.

KNUTSON—The funeral of Miss Charlotte, twin daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Knutson, was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 218 Thorndike street, and was very largely attended by her many friends and relatives. Rev. [illegible] Everett of the Swedish [illegible] church of Manchester, N. H., officiated. There was singing by Frank Lindquist and Mrs. Carrie Strongquist, who sang "I'm a Pilgrim," "There Will be Something for the Children in Heaven," and "Shall We Meet Beyond the River." There were many beautiful floral offerings, including a large pillow inscribed "Mildred," from the parents; large basket, grandparents and many sprays, Miss Wegander and Miss Swanson, John Knutson, Miss Annie Knutson and Mr. Lundberg, Miss Ingrid and Hannah Larsen, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ahlberg and daughter, Baby Foster, William and Eric Nelson, Miss Emma and Joe Hagstrom, Mr. and Mrs. Dunn, Miss Katherine, Charles and Francis Cannon, Miss Florence Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Ohlson, Mr. and Mrs. H. Sunnerfelt.

The bearers were John Knutson, Philip Ladan, Victor Lundberg and Otto Craham. Burial took place in the family lot in the Edson cemetery, where the committal service was read by the Rev. Mr. Everett. Mr. Wm. H. Saunders, undertaker of the Horace Ela Co., had charge of the funeral arrangements.

McCLELLAN—The funeral of Gertrude McClellan took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents, Andrew and Sarah, 79 Cushing street. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Chas. H. Molloy & Sons.

ANNIE BESANT

Says She Has Been Hypatia and Bruno

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Sept. 24.—Intimate friends of Mrs. Annie Besant, president of the Theosophical society of the world, declared [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

HE MAY RESIGN

Commander Peary May Give Up Place

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—[illegible]

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COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK, Sept. [illegible]—Cotton futures opened steady. Oct. 12.32; Nov. [illegible]; Dec. [illegible]; Jan. 12.32; Feb. —; Mar. 13.25; April —; May 13.42; June —; July 13.45.

BANNARD NAMED

For Mayor by New York Republicans

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—With the announcement from the platform that practically all the fusion and independent forces, with the exception of the independence league, would work in harmony to elect its candidates in the coming municipal election, the republican city convention in Carnegie hall unanimously nominated last night these candidates for the three leading municipal offices:

For mayor—Otto T. Bannard, republican, president of the New York Trust Co., resident of Manhattan borough.

For controller—Wm. A. Prendergast, republican, for many years president of the Credit Men's National association; resident of Brooklyn.

For president of the board of aldermen—John Purroy Mitchell, independent democrat, present commissioner of accounts; resident of Manhattan.

Mr. Bannard's name came into the candidacy as a surprise, for he had not been included even in the half dozen or more preliminary possibilities. It was not until after the convention had organized at noon and summarily adjourned while a committee was dispatched for a final conference with the fusion forces in the hope of reaching an agreement upon candidates that his name was presented.

After the conference Timothy L. Woodruff, chairman of the republican state committee, who presided, announced that the committee appointed to confer with the fusionists would report that the candidates nominated by the republicans would receive the support of the independent forces, and with this declaration before the convention the candidates were chosen.

The fusion element is centered in a non-partisan committee of 100, a subcommittee of which has been trying for the past week to agree on candidates. The independence league delegate withdrew from the conference yesterday because the league would not be a party to "bargaining for office," as the dissenting delegate expressed it.

The fusion sub-committee adjourned last night without formally indorsing the republican ticket as selected, but in view of Mr. Woodruff's announcement its support is relied upon.

In the platform adopted yesterday the convention went on record as a merciless critic of "Tammany misrule"; promised broad reforms, a reduction of living expenses by eliminating "the extravagances practiced by the McClellan administration," and an honest and efficient municipal government.

Mr. Bannard is a bachelor, 55 years old. He was born in Brooklyn and was graduated from Yale in 1876.

ANNUAL BANQUET

OF PHILATHEA CLASS OF FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

The annual banquet and election of officers of the Philathea class was held in the vestry of the First Congregational church, Wednesday evening, with a large attendance. The pastor, Rev. B. A. Willmott, the superintendent of the Sunday school, Mr. Arthur Bartlett, and Mrs. Bartlett were the guests of the evening. This class is composed entirely of young ladies, has a membership of about thirty, and is steadily growing owing to the efforts of the teacher, Mrs. B. A. Willmott.

One item of the treasurer's report was that the class has paid during the past year $108.00. That is from November, 1908, to Sept. 1st, 1909, toward the church debt.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Dorothy Wallenthin; vice-president, Belle Robinson; secretary, Bessie L. Worrall; treasurer, Jessie Hanson.

Membership committee—Ethel L. Putnam, chairman; Lydwin Bernier, Jeanie McIntyre, Ella Martel, Lovilla Peabody, Mertie Houston, Grace Thurber, Katherine Williamson, Alice Cochrane.

Visiting committee—Mary Brown, chairman; Winifred Conant, Ruth McGowan, Mary Gunther, Alice French, Louise Bernier, May Upham.

Social committee—Helen Thomas, chairman; Grace Cleaves, Lilla Cutler, Ethel Foster, Ivah Connell, Luella Humphreys, Elizabeth Whipple, Albertine Bernier, Olive Roy.

TAX CONFERENCE

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 24.—The election of officers and the appointment of committees to determine next year's program today ended a four days' session of the International Tax association's conference here. No contests are expected.

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Open Evenings

A "CROWDED CAR"

Interstate Board Asked for Opinion

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—That the interstate commerce commission must promulgate a regulation specifying what constituted a "crowded street car" before the act of congress, approved May 23, 1908, giving the commission jurisdiction over street car lines in the district of Columbia can be enforced, is the substance of a decision handed down yesterday by Judge Mullowney of the district police court. He sustained the motion of the street railroad of the district to quash the information based on evidence as to the overcrowding of street cars, but declined to rule that the act was unconstitutional. Judge Mullowney took the ground that congress laid down general principles as to the overcrowding of street cars depending upon the interstate commerce commission to adopt rules that would specify what constituted overcrowding. Without such regulations he declared it was not possible within the meaning of the law to determine what constitutes overcrowding.

THE PLANET MARS

Nearer Earth Today Than Ever Before

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—Nearer the earth by 15,000,000 miles than it has been for 15 years, the planet Mars today is the object of great interest to the astronomers throughout the world, particularly at the United States naval observatory here. Its average distance from the earth is 50,000,000 miles. Its distance from the earth today was only 35,000,000 miles.

With this proximity of the planet interest will become, even among those who cannot claim to be students of astronomy, all the keener on account of the probability that new discoveries concerning matters Martian will be made.

GENERAL CORBIN

Was Buried in Arlington Cemetery

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—Almost side by side with the bodies of Gen. Lee and Wirt the body of the late Lieut. Gen. Henry C. Corbin was interred in Arlington national cemetery today in the presence of the members of the distinguished family and many of his personal friends.

The body of Gen. Corbin has rested in the receiving vault of the cemetery since Sept. 16.

The religious services at the grave were conducted by the Rev. W. E. Brunder, chaplain of the fifteenth cavalry stationed at Fort Meyer, Va.

SPANISH FORCES

HOLD LINE TO FOOT OF MOUNT GURUGA

MELILLA, Sept. 24.—The occupation of clearing and occupying the peninsula north of Melilla continues with little resistance. The Spanish forces now hold an entrenched line from the sea on the west to the foot hills of Mount Guruga to prevent the Moors from getting to their rear, and they have occupied also an important strategic position at Nador to the southward. This is preliminary to the real work of outflanking the Moors upon Mount Guruga.

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NIGHT EDITION

ASTOUNDING CASE

Larceny Charge Brings Out Most Sensational Evidence

Of Alleged Polygamy and Homicide by the Defendant and Bigamy by the Woman Who Complained of Her Husband

One of the most [illegible] ever heard in [illegible] be that of George [illegible] with the larceny of [illegible] from Christiza D. Strategos[illegible] aired before Judge Hadley [illegible] morning's session. [illegible] of the testimony [illegible] brought out that the defendant [illegible] the complainant being his second wife, and also that the complainant had two husbands. She was not aware of the location of her first husband or the children she had by him.

Daniel J. Donahue appeared for the government while the defendant was represented by J. Joseph Hennessey.

Christiza D. Strategopoulos, the complainant, was the first witness and her testimony was in part as follows: "I gave him (Gardatros) $[illegible] after he told me that he would marry me. He later married me and lived with me two and a half years. [illegible] left me and married a woman in Ipswich. He never paid back the money to me. Shortly after [illegible] he told me he had a wife in Greece. He said however that he was not legally married to her as he had taken her away from her husband and she did not have any divorce. He said he had several children by that woman.

On cross-examination the complainant said: "My uncle forced me to marry a Turk when I was in Greece. We had several children, but I do not know where he or the children are at the present time."

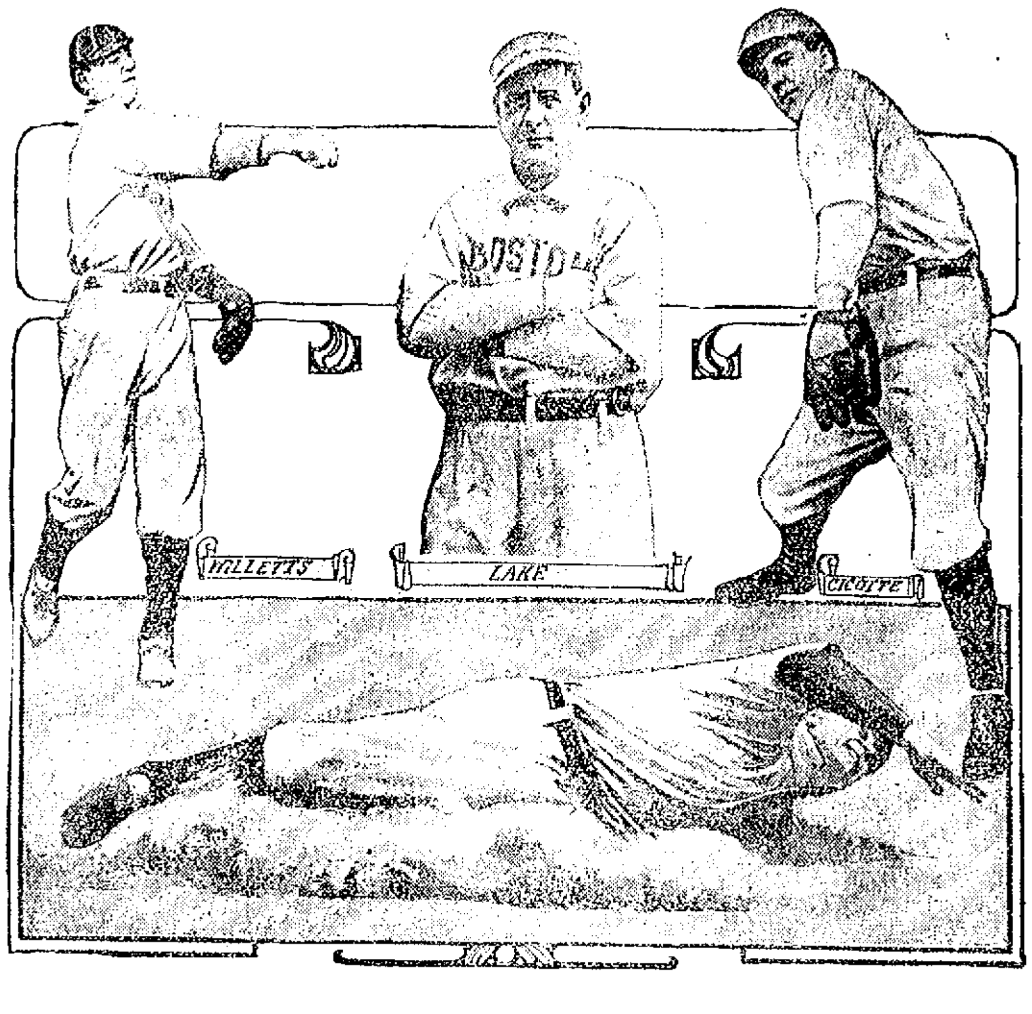
Witness further said that the first time she saw the defendant was when he ran through her house in Alameda, Greece, after he had killed a man.

Much more testimony of a complicated character was produced, it being shown that the grand jury had refused to indict the defendant for bigamy and also that the woman had turned over all her money to the defendant while she was married to him.

No defense was offered.

After carefully considering the case Judge Hadley found the defendant not guilty and ordered him discharged on the larceny charge but the developments of the case astonished the court and everybody present.

MANAGER OF BOSTON AND TWO STAR PITCHERS WHO WILL OPPOSE EACH OTHER SHORTLY



BOSTON, Sept. 24.—While the fight for the banner in the National league is practically settled, the battle for first place in the American league is still being waged fiercely between the Detroit Tigers and the Philadelphia Athletics, with the outcome in some doubt, due to the fact that the latter team will wind up the season at home, while Detroit must play out the string in the enemy's country. The Athletics gained a little ground by winning three out of four games from Detroit recently, and now much depends upon the New York-Detroit series to be played Sept. 24, 25, 27 and 28 and the Boston-Detroit games Sept. 29, 30 and Oct. 1. Both the Yankees and the Red Sox are putting up a first class article of ball, and as these two teams have proved a thorn in the side of the Tigers all season the coming series may rob them of a chance to accomplish a new record in the junior organization—that of winning the banner three consecutive times. Philadelphia will play four games with Cleveland, starting Sept. 24, and later Connie Mack's men will tackle the Chicago White Sox for three games, and as a windup to the season of 1909 the Athletics will stack up against Washington. All in all it looks like a toss up with take your pick between the two teams for the banner. Cicotte, the Boston's star pitcher, has proved himself to be one of the cleverest twirlers in the American league this season. He has any number of curves and good control. Willetts of the Tigers has improved over 1908 form, and has been taking his turn regularly in the box. Great credit must be given to Fred Lake, manager of the Bostons. Early in the season he took charge of what was called the joke club of the league and whipped them into a near championship team. Next season he will surely be heard from. Scene shows Ty Cobb of the Tigers making a sensational slide for home plate in a recent Philadelphia-Detroit game.

COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS

Heard Many Claimants for Damages Against the City

A rather lengthy meeting of the committee on claims was held last night in the common council chamber, Alderman Dexter presiding. In all there were 27 claims, though the majority of them were of minor importance.

Mrs. Annie Dolan claimed that she suffered personal injuries as a result of a defective sewer in West Third street. Dr. Meagher testified as to the nature of the injuries suffered by Mrs. Dolan. She was represented by Gardner W. Pearson.

Thomas Callahan asked for damages because of personal injuries received by falling on a defective sidewalk in Coburn street.

John Meehan asked damages for injuries caused by a falling stone, while he was working for the city on the Oaklands sewer. W. A. Hogan appeared for him. Blood-poisoning resulted from his injuries, he said.

William Clark asked damages for a broken leg by falling on ice in Middlesex street.

Isabella Scallion asked damages because of acute nervousness, caused by being hit by a stream of water. It was while she was walking in High street, while city employes were fixing a hydrant. William F. Curtin appeared for her.

Gardner W. Pearson and James N. Greig, as commanding officers of Companies C and K of the Sixth regiment, M. V. M., appeared as petitioners for the payment of $40.83 and $150.55 for target hire and transportation at the Dracut rifle range. Mr. Pearson said that the companies had paid the bills and asked the city to reimburse them. Capt. Greig stated that the understanding at the state house is that the city must be fined unless it pays the bills of the military companies.

Jesse H. Shepard and Henry C. Fuller petitioned for the abatement of taxes for the years 1906 and 1907. Mr. Shepard appeared and asked the return of $37.19, money which had been paid on property not owned by petitioners.

Bernard A. Conners, asked for damages because of personal injuries he received while employed in the street department, and alleged to have been caused by the defective condition of Aiken avenue near Lakeview avenue. Mr. Pearson appeared for petitioner. No witnesses were heard, Mr. Pearson merely asking for the payment of the award made in 1907.

Hermann Pfeiffer and Mrs. Alice C. Pfeiffer claimed that they were entitled to damages owing to the fact that they had suffered from sickness caused by the overflowing of water into the cellar at their home, 93 Stratham street. James Healey, a letter carrier, said that the water had been forced into his cellar.

Sarah A. Wood petitioned for damages because of injuries caused by stepping into a trench in the northeastern side of Hildreth street. Mrs. Wood claimed that she was thrown heavily against a telephone pole breaking her right arm.

Mrs. Mary J. Allen asked damages for injuries caused by ice and snow, in Suffolk street, Dec. 26, 1905. Dr. Bartlett said Mrs. Allen's leg was fractured. His bill was $42 he said.

Mrs. Catherine Kelley broke her right wrist Dec. 13, last, by falling on the ice and snow in Merrimack street. She asked damages. Dr. T. J. Halloran attended Mrs. Kelley.

KILLED HIMSELF

Man Said He Was Fourth Whom Woman Drove to Desperation

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—In the morning mail Coroner Harburger received two of the strangest letters that ever came to him during his official career.

The writer, a suicide, [illegible] they were received, [illegible] the manner of his death and [illegible] "vampire"—a woman [illegible] him love her and [illegible] then threw him over.

She had treated [illegible] ly the same manner, [illegible] message from the dead. [illegible] asserted, she was [illegible] while, and, after [illegible] man who killed himself [illegible] her husband.

This was the first [illegible]

"To Coroner Harburger: [illegible] ago I made the acquaintance of Miss Helen Kranan, of No. [illegible] Hundred and Tenth street [illegible] to live with me and [illegible] I promised to [illegible] her as I never [illegible] she is gone, and [illegible] hind my back she was [illegible] another man. I [illegible] that reason I am [illegible] cannot live without her.

"Enclosed is [illegible] I want to have [illegible] papers; also [illegible] from her husband [illegible] cannot outlive [illegible] so much and [illegible]

This letter [illegible] gave no address [illegible] ner Harburger, [illegible] practical [illegible] photograph [illegible] and a marriage [illegible] same mail [illegible] read as follows:

"To Coroner H[illegible] fourth man this [illegible] desperation. [illegible] you to publish [illegible] to the newspapers [illegible] will find in a [illegible] floor of the [illegible] Hundred and Tenth [illegible] house where the [illegible]

The coroner [illegible] learned that [illegible] Shohn dead by [illegible] discovered that [illegible] there, but [illegible] gone back to [illegible] Kranan [illegible] Eighty-second street.

She was found [illegible] that neither she nor her husband would talk about Emil Shohn's last message.

It was not in Harburger's province to investigate further or to take any action.

FINGER INJURED

A. W. McDONALD MET WITH AN ACCIDENT

A. W. McDonald, residing at 31 [illegible] employed at the Acme Tire Vulcanizing Co., suffered a fracture of [illegible] bones of the third finger [illegible] Wednesday by the [illegible] of a [illegible] He [illegible] treatment at the [illegible] hospital.

[illegible]

O'KEEFE BEATEN

YOUNG ERNE WAS GIVEN THE DECISION

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24. Two of [illegible] lightweights in this city, [illegible] O'Keefe and Young Erne, met [illegible] at the Broadway Athletic [illegible] At the end of the [illegible] Erne was entitled to the [illegible]

[illegible] the middle of the fifth round [illegible] O'Keefe had [illegible]

ENTERTAINING BOUTS

[illegible]

[illegible] WINS PRIVATE BOUT

[illegible]

A STRANGE CASE

Woman in a State of Coma

WHITMAN, Sept. 24.—The medical fraternity in this vicinity is interested in the case of Mrs. Luke German of Beulah street, who has been in a comatose condition for nearly three weeks. In spite of every effort on the part of the physicians, the disease fails to respond to treatment.

Mrs. German is 51 years of age, and up to the time she was stricken with the disease was in excellent health. She is aroused with considerable difficulty to take nourishment, and as soon as she takes a few mouthfuls of food she relapses into a state of coma.

The physicians say that she is perfectly conscious of surrounding conditions, but that she is in a cataleptic state, and they say it is impossible to determine how long it will last.

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WILLIAM J. COOK

Sentenced for Stealing From His Father

LAWRENCE, Sept. 24.—In superior court yesterday Judge Hardy sentenced William J. Cook of Amesbury to the Concord reformatory on the charge of larceny of [illegible] from the defendant's father. The case of Michael F. Finnerty, who was convicted of receiving a part of the money, was continued a year to give him a chance to make restitution.

Matthew Lelkoski of Lawrence, who stole a pocketbook [illegible] belonging to a relative, was placed on probation. Most of the money was recovered. Daniel Sears [illegible] was convicted of the charge of stealing a number of tools from buildings in Haverhill. He got four months.

Albert A. Dudley admitted his guilt of the charge of breaking and entering in Beverly. A number of convictions was introduced against him. He was sentenced to [illegible] the house of correction.

Isaiah W. Horton was committed for three months on the charge of attempting to break and enter in Gloucester.

James H. Nicholson, John H. Sweeney and John F. Hope [illegible] were placed on trial on the charge of breaking and entering the house of Mrs. Harriet Newhall in Lynn. An additional charge of felonious assault was also heard against Hopwood. The alleged victim was a daughter of Mrs. Newhall, the girl having been in charge of the house when the men came there.

Grigor Pakalnik was convicted of larceny of $100 from a Polish woman in Lynn and was committed for six months. The jury returned a verdict of guilty against [illegible] Russo, charged with breaking and entering a fruit store in Swampscott.

Charles Weeks of Lynn, indicted for felonious assault, was sentenced to the reformatory.

LOWELL BOY

GETS POSITION WITH CANADIAN NORTHERN RAILWAY

Eugene G. Benson, [illegible] of Ticket Commissioner [illegible] of this city, has been appointed traveling agent on the Canadian Northern railway. The position is one which was recently created owing to the expansion of the road's lines between Montreal and Ottawa.

Mr. Benson was [illegible] in this city and left here but a few weeks ago to live in Joliette, Que., where his wife's family resides. [illegible] and considerable experience in railroading, having been in the employ of the Boston & Maine and also the Canadian Pacific railway.

DES MOINES CHARTER

William G. Stevenson, a reporter for the Des Moines News, has been visiting his cousin, Robert P. Wescott, in this city for the past few days. Mr. Stevenson speaks very [illegible] of the Des Moines charter which puts the administration in the hands of a commission. He feels sure that the people will never return to the old form of government.

LARCENY OF GAS

Is the Charge Against Annie Manley

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—Charged with the larceny of 66,000 cubic feet of illuminating gas, valued at $52.80, Annie L. Manley of 28 Holyoke street, South End, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Special Officer Wm. J. Irwin of the South End police station. Two years ago Mrs. Manley gained considerable notoriety when she figured as complainant in a suit for breach of promise, instituted against Prof. Marcou, then of Harvard.

The gas company agents say that since February somebody has been tampering with the property of the company at 28 Holyoke street. The meter had been disconnected, and any gas that was burned in the house was, they assert, done so illegally. Agents Ernest Barker and John Hyde of the company were assigned to watch the house after it was learned that gas was being burned there.

They say that in making an investigation they discovered that somebody had connected a rubber tube between the main line and the house piping, across the space where the meter should be, the meter having been removed.

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RED SOX LOSE

Cleveland Won Final Game by Score of 7-3

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—Cleveland won the last game of the series yesterday, 7 to 3. Able, another recruit, pitched and was a puzzle to the locals except in one inning. Hall started off well, but was hit hard in three innings. The game was remarkably well played, in view of the fact that the field was very muddy and wet. The score:

CLEVELAND

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Riley, lf	1	2	1	0	0	0
Stovall, 1b	5	1	3	8	0	0
Hinchman, rf	5	1	2	1	0	0
Lajoie, 2b	4	2	3	5	4	0
Birmingham, cf	4	1	3	3	0	0
Clarke, c	3	0	2	7	4	0
Bradley, 3b	3	0	1	1	2	0
Stark, ss	1	0	0	2	4	0
Able, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	36	7	15	27	15	0

BOSTON

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Niles, lf	4	1	1	0	1	0
Lord, 3b	4	1	1	1	4	0
Speaker, cf	3	1	2	2	0	0
French, ss	4	0	0	0	3	0
Stahl, 1b	4	0	3	11	2	0
McConnell, 2b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Howard, rf	4	0	1	0	1	0
Madden, c	4	0	1	11	2	0
Hall, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Donohue, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Matthews, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	34	3	9	27	16	0

x—Batted for Hall in the 8th.

Cleveland	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	1	1	—7
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	—3

Two base hits—Stovall, Stahl. Home run—Speaker. Hits—Off Hall 14 in 8 innings; off Matthews 1 in 1 inning. Sacrifice hit—Clarke. Sacrifice fly—Bradley. Stolen bases—Stovall, Riley. Left on bases—Cleveland 6; Boston 5. First base on balls—Off Able 1; off Matthews 2. Struck out—By Hall 3; by Able 7; by Matthews 1. Passed ball—Clarke. Time—1.40. Umpires—Egan and Sheridan.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Detroit	92	51	64.4
Philadelphia	89	53	62.7
Boston	83	60	58.0
Chicago	70	72	49.3
New York	69	73	48.2
Cleveland	69	75	47.9
St. Louis	60	82	42.3
Washington	39	104	27.3

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS

Cleveland 7, Boston 3.
Detroit 8, Washington 1.
Philadelphia 6, St. Louis 2.
New York 4, Chicago 2 (first game.)
New York 7, Chicago 1 (second game).

AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES TODAY

St. Louis at Boston.
Detroit at New York.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Washington.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Pittsburg	103	36	74.1
Chicago	93	46	66.9
New York	83	53	61.0
Cincinnati	75	69	50.4
Philadelphia	69	74	46.3
St. Louis	47	89	34.5
Brooklyn	48	89	35.0
Boston	39	99	28.3

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS

Philadelphia 12, Cincinnati 2.
Brooklyn 4, Chicago 1 (first game);
Chicago 1, Brooklyn 1 (second game).
New York 3, St. Louis 0 (first game);
New York 12, St. Louis 5 (second game).

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES TODAY

Boston at Chicago.
New York at Cincinnati.
Philadelphia at Pittsburg.
Brooklyn at St. Louis.

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THE PRESIDENT

ARRIVED IN UTAH AND WAS WELCOMED BY GOVERNOR

HELPER, Utah, Sept. 24.—Still in pursuit of the setting sun President Taft's westward journey brought him into Utah today to be welcomed by the governor, the senators, representatives in congress and a committee of citizens who came from Salt Lake City to Helper in a special car which was attached here to the Taft special. The president's first stop will be at Provo a short distance east of Salt Lake City where he will spend 45 minutes. He will arrive at Salt Lake City at 4.50 p. m., to remain there until Sunday noon.

Word has come indirectly to the president that a protest has been made in Salt Lake City, by a number of Protestant ministers against the plan to have the president make an address in the Mormon tabernacle Saturday morning. It is said Protestant ministers believe he should go to a Protestant church on Sunday. It is possible the matter will be arranged by having the president make his address in the tabernacle at the time of the organ recital although the matter is still in the hands of the Salt Lake City committee. No statement could be had through the president's party this morning.

When he left Grand Junction early this morning the president bade farewell to the picturesque court of 32 Colorado sheriffs. He paid the sheriffs a high compliment and declared to one of his audiences yesterday that the friendship of the sheriff was always a good thing to cultivate.

President Taft on the eve of his departure from Beverly a little more than a week ago said he expected to make 75 speeches on his trip of eight weeks. When he made a short address in Montrose, Colo., last night his total speeches had reached fifty. Car-end stops have been far more frequent than was anticipated and the president has responded wherever possible to the never-ceasing calls for speeches.

BUSINESS CONDITIONS

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Despatches to R. G. Dun & Co., indicate some interruption to business at the south, because of the severe storm, but reports from all other sections of the country are uniformly favorable. Boston reports continued activity at retail with a large business in nearly all departments while September sales of dry goods closely approach the record made in 1907. High cost of raw cotton checks a free movement in finished goods and there is some talk of production being curtailed by the mills until conditions change.

Bank clearings show decided improvement this week, total exchanges at all leading cities in the United States being $3,036,255,301, 26 per cent. over a year ago and 16.5 per cent. larger than in the corresponding week of 1906.

REV. JOHN WITHROW DEAD

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—Rev. John Withrow, pastor emeritus and for years pastor of Park Street church died today, at his home in Brookline at the age of 72 years. He had been in ill health for some time. He had been connected with Park Street church nearly 20 years.

MATRIMONIAL

A very pretty wedding took place at the chapel of the Sacred Heart church last Wednesday evening, when Miss Della C. Lynch and Mr. Louis A. Crosby were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. The ceremony was performed by the pastor of the church, Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I. The bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Mary E. Crotty, and Mr. Wm. H. Crosby, brother of the groom, was the best man. The bride was becomingly attired in a gown of white [illegible] over cream silk. She wore a [illegible] hat and carried a white prayer book. The bridesmaid wore white [illegible] over pink silk and white hat. After the ceremony a wedding reception was held.

GOLD ROPE CHAIN AND MOSAIC CROSS lost Friday morning [illegible] Ladies' Dressing Room. Liberal reward for return to office of Page's Spa, Merrimack square.

IF the real facts were known hundreds of men who now buy their suits elsewhere would buy them at KING'S. You will ask and say why. We'll tell you in few words. We specialize suits at three prices, $9.95, $11.95 and $14.95. EVERY GARMENT WE MANUFACTURE OURSELVES, and in our doing so you SAVE THE MIDDLEMEN'S PROFIT and secure for yourself, IN BUYING OF KING'S, PURE WORSTED MATERIAL. We sell no other fabric at $9.95, $11.95 and $14.95. We claim, and you can prove our assertion by a little looking around, that our line of styles and quality at $9.95 is sold all over the city at $15.00, and ours at $11.95 sells at $16.50, and any of those we offer at $14.95 are $20.00 and $22.50 elsewhere. Gentlemen, if from five to seven dollars in real money is likened by you to the butt of a cigar or cigarette which you would cast to the winds, then pass us by on this proposition, but if you are a wise, clear-headed, farsighted man who can't be blinded by "ads." written in high toned vocabulary added to which is pomp, show and fancy fittings, all of which in the end you pay for, then to this man we say come to King's and give a look at the new fall styles. It's a pleasure to show values offered elsewhere at $15.00, $16.50, $20.00 and $22.50, at $9.95, $11.95 and $14.95. Visit our bargain basement: some big values for men and boys.

Everything in Clothing, Furnishings, and Shoes — King's Clothing Furnishings & Shoes — For a Big Dollar's Worth, 31 to 41 Merrimack St.

SHE SHOT HERSELF

Unusual Circumstances Surround Death of Girl at Woodberry, N. J.

WOODBERRY, N. J., Sept. 24.—Unusual circumstances surround the supposed suicide today by shooting of Helen Brayton, aged 19 years, who was found fatally wounded in the residence of her uncle with whom she made her home. The uncle, H. C. Brown, is on a gunning trip in Maine and her aunt is on a visit in Atlantic City. Three hours before the shooting Miss Brayton awakened her cousin, Harry Brown, 15 years old, and told him a strange man had been in her bedroom. The boy, who was alone with the girl in the house, finding no intruder returned to bed. He was awakened later by the groans of the girl and going to her room found her in bed with a bullet wound in the head. A revolver was found in the room. Young Brown gave an alarm but the girl died soon afterwards. When young Brown was first awakened by the girl to look for the supposed intruder, he secured a revolver and searched the house and when he returned to bed he placed the weapon upon his pillow. When the boy fell asleep the girl, it is supposed, went to his room, secured the revolver and returning to her apartment shot herself. A coroner's inquest was held later in the day and a verdict was returned that the girl killed herself.

INTERURBAN ROAD HEARING

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—Another delegation of Lawrence and Lowell business men appeared before the railroad commission today to testify to the effect which a new high-powered electric road would have on the financial securities outstanding on the Boston & Maine and Boston & Northern companies. It was the generally expressed opinion that the road would be a detriment to none and a boon to many.

DEATH WAS SURE

So Man Tried to Hurry it Along

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—"Boys, we're ill, and not a one of us has a chance to live!" shouted Michael Corbett, a patient in ward 13 of Bellevue hospital last night.

The attendant was out of the room for a moment, and no one was there but the patients, nearly fifty of them.

"I'm going to end it!" Corbett went on. "What's the use of living this way?"

He drew from between his mattresses a razor, and with this in his hand he jumped out of bed and ran to the end of the ward, flourishing the blade over his head.

The other patients yelled for the nurse. Joseph Kirk and several others got out of their beds and ran toward Corbett. But before they or Kirk could get to him he had drawn the razor across his throat and then slashed his left wrist.

He was carried to the operating room and the wounds were stitched up, but there had been a slight incision of the jugular vein and the doctors believed that this would cause death. He was in a critical condition late last night. Some of the other patients were so badly affected that they required special treatment.

Corbett had been in the hospital since April, 1908. When he arrived he was told that most likely his malady would prove fatal. He grew to be very well liked by his fellow-sufferers, and lately had seemed in fairly good health, but for several days he had been brooding over the prospect of spending the rest of his days in the hospital.

BLAMES HUSBAND

Woman Says That He Threw Eggs

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Joseph E. Rodgers, an ink manufacturer of 152 East Twenty-seventh street, brought his wife, Annie, and six-year-old daughter, Grace Ainslee Rodgers, who are living at 28 Third street, Brooklyn, before Supreme Court Justice Amend yesterday on a writ of habeas corpus to try to get possession of the child. He said that the mother is restraining the little girl of her liberty.

Mrs. Rodgers said that her husband left her last February because she objected to having his sister Josephine, who had been living with them, run the household. She said that he beat her and used violent language in the domestic troubles over his sister and accordingly is not a proper person for the little girl to live with. She said that he threw eggs at her once when Grace was sitting on her lap and both she and the child were struck.

The court reserved decision.

THE MERRIMACK

Grand Exhibit at Popular Clothing Store

Many hundreds of Lowell men and women are finding the great Merrimack Clothing store a mecca this week, the occasion being the annual fall opening which is always a feature of interest to Lowell citizens.

Although similar affairs held by this well known firm have attracted wide notice, this year's opening promises to break all records in amount of interest shown and the general delight expressed at the remarkable clothes exhibition.

With an enviable record behind it, the Merrimack Clothing company has outdone itself by the elaborate and comprehensive stock of fall and winter goods gotten together especially for this season. The exhibit includes everything in latest and correct designs of wearing apparel for men, women and boys.

The wonderful displays that are to be seen in the windows are the apotheosis of the window dressers' art and the stretch of display along Merrimack and Worthen streets, is something that's worth coming down town to see.

There are few, indeed, who can look upon the gorgeous array of fall offerings set out in these windows without wishing to go inside and take a closer look at the entire stock, and the store was crowded yesterday in every department.

In the women's store are reproductions of imported models (no duplicates in the city) in a never ending assortment of tailored suits and dresses, from which to pick. Some coats are half fitting, others close fitting and severe in fashionable French diagonals, homespuns and camel's hair cheviot's. Other models are more elaborately trimmed with rich braid designs and fancy buttons, shown in rich broadcloths of all shades.

Some of the new colors shown are the new raisin blue, nut brown, rose, corn, egg plant and artichoke green. The coat skirts are all shown in plaited effects.

A department of particular interest to shoppers is the waist section where a beautiful array of silk, lingerie and tailored waists is shown. Many are hand made models and show the new sleeves with tailored effects in all the latest colors.

The men's store display eclipsed all previous showings with the hundreds of exclusive patterns of suitings and overcoatings. In this department one saw a collection of the best that New York designers have to offer in men's and young men's apparel.

Rough and semi-rough cheviots, together with shadow stripe materials and two-toned effects are considered the most nobby this season.

The hat, furnishings and boys' departments also shared equally in the general buyers' interest with their up-to-date showing of all the latest styles for dressers of good taste.

TYPHOID CASES

Were Due to One Farm Milk

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—There was such a marked decrease in the number of typhoid cases reported during the past seven days that officials of the health department feel confident the spread is over and that the return's will show only the average numbers for this time of year.

By systematic work the cause was traced to milk, and prompt measures, taken immediately, brought about the bettering of conditions.

Inspectors learned that in every case the milk was produced from the same dairy. Then close watch was placed upon all milk handled by this concern, a small company doing business only in that section, and the sources from which the milk was obtained were looked up. Results were soon obtained, and the milk containing typhoid germs was traced to cans from one particular farm up New York state. An agent was then sent to investigate conditions up there, and his report has just been brought in. In substance it is as follows:

Investigation disclosed that one of the milkmen on this farm was stricken with typhoid fever about a month ago. He was attended by the physician from the nearby village, but the case was not reported to the state board of health. Consequently, this farm was not quarantined, and the milk continued to be shipped to the city. There is no doubt that he suffered many days before being forced to quit his work, and even when sick he lived in the same bunk house with other milkers.

NINE MISSING

FROM THE UNITED STATES CRUISER SALEM

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Ensign W. F. Jacobs, on the scout cruiser Salem, anchored off Dyckman street, reported to the police of the West 152d street station at 10 o'clock last night that nine men of the crew were missing with a ship's cutter, and asked the police to notify the Dobbs Ferry and Yonkers authorities.

According to the officer, the men secured permission to take the cutter and go for a trip up the river. They left at 1.30 with orders to return. The Salem sailed at 4.30, and were instructed not to land at any point.

Ensign Jacobs told the police that he would be at the Dyckman street landing until 11.30 o'clock. If the men did not arrive at that hour the search would be put over until morning, when word will be sent to every city on the Hudson.

The cutter is painted a dark gray and is labeled in low and stern with the initial "S" for Salem.

The Yonkers police searched every possible landing place along the river bank, and as far north as Hastings, but at a late hour there had been no word received of the men.

Inquiry was made at all boat clubs and of all skippers of pleasure and small craft, but none it appeared had heard of any accident, or had seen the Salem cutter.

CONCERN IS FELT

For the Safety of Presidents Taft and Diaz

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—As a result of the publication of a despatch from El Paso, Tex., that a bomb had been discovered in Juarez, Mexico just across the American border, the point which President Taft will visit on October 16 when he steps over the line to extend greetings to President Diaz, it has been disclosed that the most elaborate precautions have been taken to safeguard the lives of the two executives. Secret service officials have been busy for many weeks in perfecting arrangements looking to the safety of the persons of Mr. Taft and Gen. Diaz on this side of the boundary.

The program for the meeting of the two presidents provides that President Diaz shall drive across the international bridge from Juarez and be received by President Taft in El Paso. After a brief visit there President Diaz will be accompanied to Mexican soil by President Taft.

This will be the second time that an American president has set foot on foreign territory in his term of office. On his trip to the Canal Zone President Roosevelt spent three hours in Panama as the guest of President Amador. In 1901 President McKinley visited El Paso, but he went no farther toward Mexico than the middle of the bridge across the Rio Grande at that point.

CAPTAIN EVANS

Tells Story of Alleged Abandonment of Surgeon Trotter

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Sept. 24.—The story of the alleged abandonment of Surgeon Trotter, who was later drowned, and of Captain Thomas Evans, who was saved, following the capsizing of the naval tug Nezinscot off Cape Ann a month ago, was told by Capt. Evans as a witness before the court martial which today began taking testimony in the cases of the five members of the crew charged with negligence and cowardice. The men on trial are Chief Boatswain's Mate Frank R. Bitter, Chief Machinist's Mate George Pratt, Seamen F. Tilloison and W. H. Fitzgerald, and Fireman C. F. Underwood.

Captain Evans told of leaving the Portsmouth navy yard with a load of anchors which later proved too heavy for the tug and of the capsizing off Halibut point, Cape Ann. He said that the members of the crew launched the tug's boats leaving Captain Evans, Surgeon Trotter and others to their fate. They clung to a piece of wreckage for a time when Surgeon Trotter left to assist his comrade. The last seen of him was when he floated away on the top of a deck.

IGNORES MOTHER

Girl Selects Nurse as Her Guardian

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—Ellen Wassall, 15 years old, daughter of Dr. Joseph Wassall, who was washed overboard from the yacht Mistral and drowned in Lake Michigan, Sept. 18, filed a petition in the superior court yesterday asking that Agnes L. Hellmuth, who has been her nurse and her father's housekeeper for three years, be appointed her guardian. This means that her mother, Mrs. Grace Chadbourne, former wife of the dentist, will not gain custody of the girl, for under the Illinois law any minor over 14 years old can choose his or her guardian.

A copy of the dentist's will is attached to the petition, and in this the girl is given all but $1000 of her father's estate.

The son, Joseph Wassall, Jr., is given only $1000. Dr. Wassall explains in his will that the small amount is not because of any dislike for his son, but for the reason that his daughter is more in need of support.

The girl will enjoy the income of an estate valued at $50,000 until she becomes 25 years old, when the principal will be paid her.

In the petition the girl says that she has seen little of her mother in the last three years, while she has been constantly in the company of Agnes L. Hellmuth.

Mrs. Chadbourne, who is the wife of Thomas L. Chadbourne, 145 West 55th street, New York, recently stated that she would take her daughter to live with her, if the provisions of Dr. Wassall's will did not interfere.

RAIN PREVENTED MATCH

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24.—Rain today prevented the opening of the final cricket match in this city between the Gentlemen of Ireland and the Gentlemen of Philadelphia. The match will be started tomorrow.

LEE McCLUNG

WILL ACCEPT OFFICE OF U. S TREASURER

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 24.—Mr. McClung, treasurer of Yale university, announced today that he would accept the position of the United States treasurership and his resignation at Yale would take effect Nov. 1.

ALDERMAN TURNER

ASKS SOLICITOR FOR AN OPINION

Alderman John D. Turner, the chairman of the committee on accounts, has asked the city solicitor to give him an opinion relative to the organization and scope of the authority of the committee on accounts.

STOCK MARKET

Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks:

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NEW YORK STOCKS

Atchison	118⅝
Am Car Foundry	[illegible]
*Amalgamated	82
*Am. Sugar	135
Am Smelt & Ref Co	90⅞
Anaconda	40½
Brooklyn Rap Transit	79⅞
Can Pac	183⅝
Distillers Sec.	37⅛
Erie Com	31⅞
Erie 1st	71⅞
Great Northern	132⅝
Illinois	131⅞
Interborough Railway pfd	47⅞
Int. Steam Pump	48
Missouri	76½
National Lead	85⅞
*No. Pac.	134⅝
New York Central	134⅛
Penn.	[illegible]
Pressed Steel Car	[illegible]
People's Gas	[illegible]
Ry Mail	[illegible]
Reading	[illegible]
Rock Island	[illegible]
Rock Island pfd	[illegible]
Southern Pac	[illegible]
South Railway	[illegible]
U. S. Steel	[illegible]
U. S. Steel pfd	[illegible]
U. S. Rubber	[illegible]
Utah Cop	[illegible]
Wabash	[illegible]
Wab. pfd	[illegible]

BOSTON STOCKS.

[illegible]	[illegible]

*Ex-dividend.

KILLED HIMSELF

On the Grave of His Wife

OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 24.—E. B. Hamilton, aged about 30, thought to be a traveler for a shoe company at 785 Broadway, New York, committed suicide here yesterday by shooting himself on the grave of his young wife at Beechwood cemetery.

Hamilton walked into the cemetery office and asked Mr. Craig, the clerk there, for the bill of cemetery expenses in connection with the burial of his wife there last winter. The account was handed to him. He folded it up, signed and walked out. A moment later a pistol shot was heard from the direction of that part of the cemetery where Mrs. Hamilton had been buried. Mr. Craig found the young man lying [illegible] the grave of his wife with a wound behind the right ear. A revolver found beside the [illegible] was [illegible].

[illegible] Miss Rose of Ottawa [illegible] a year ago. The [illegible] a month after the [illegible] and never recovered [illegible].

[illegible] asking that [illegible] be buried [illegible].

DRILL WAS HELD

By the Holy Name Society Last Night

[illegible]

KNOWS THE BIBLE

Convict Has 45 Chapters Memorized

ATLANTA, Sept. 24.—With visions of the gallows constantly before him for more than two years, John Harper, convicted of killing Sheriff Keith of Murray county, was for the seventh time has just been respited by Gov. Brown, until Oct. 8, has memorized 45 chapters in the Bible, as well as many sad verses.

Harper was brought to Atlanta for safe keeping after his conviction. Under the ministrations of a number of the King's Daughters he professed conversion months ago and since that time his Bible has been his close companion. He reads it practically all the time.

Harper is now memorizing two more chapters, it having been his purpose to hold a record of 50 chapters by Friday, the day on which he would have been hanged had not Gov. Brown interfered.

Since he was tried, on Aug. 11, 1907, for killing Sheriff Keith he had three times undergone the ordeal of hearing the death sentence pronounced and seven different times has been respited by the governor when it seemed that his execution was almost certain.

The last respite was granted because Harper's attorneys claimed they had discovered new evidence favorable to the prisoner.

FUNERALS

PIRA—The funeral of Cecilia Pira took place at 2.30 this afternoon from the home of her parents, 58 Charles street. Services were held at St. Anthony's church and were conducted by Rev. Fr. Rosa. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery. Undertaker T. J. McDermott in charge.

SAVED MASTER

Man Owes Life to Dog's Intelligence

WILMINGTON, Del., Sept. 24.—To the remarkable intelligence of his setter dog, George Baron, aged forty-five years, of No. 405 Monroe street, probably owes his life. While gunning he was attacked by vertigo and fell unconscious about the banks of the Christiana river close to the water. The dog ran to this city, and by its actions and barking attracted the attention of some men, who decided to follow the animal.

The dog took them to where its master was lying, and they were none too soon, for the rising tide soon would have engulfed and drowned him as he lay unconscious. A cab was summoned and Baron was taken home. Only a few days ago he refused an offer of $200 for the dog.

ENTERTAINED HIS CLERKS

Mr. William J. Brady, who has been conducting the shoe store at 42 Central street, entertained his clerks last evening with a banquet at a local hotel, after which there was a theatre party. Mr. Brady has pulled up stakes in Lowell and removed to Boston, where he has opened a large retail shoe store. His only reason for leaving Lowell was on account of being unable to secure a larger store in the down-town section, his business having outgrown his Central street establishment and Mr. Brady is not the kind of a merchant who "stands still."

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

TO ISSUE $40,000,000 OF STOCK

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 24.—The call for the special meeting of stockholders of the New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co. on October 27 which will be given tomorrow will state that it is to ask approval of the proposal to issue $40,000,000 additional capital stock. The new stock, it is understood, is to be used in part in retiring notes which are to mature in the near future and for betterment work. It is thought that the notes to be retired amount to $13,500,000.

No further announcement except that of the call for a meeting is given out at the offices of the company at this time.

STEAMER UTSTEIN PROBABLY LOST

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 24.—Fears are entertained here for the safety of the Central American Steamship Co.'s steamer Utstein, due here last Monday from Port Cortez, Honduras. The Utstein is believed to have encountered the hurricane in the gulf of Mexico.

OPEN TO ALL

THE SUN classified columns are open to all at the small cost of one cent a word for three insertions. An advertisement placed in The Sun today will be printed in over 16,000 papers, aggregating nearly 50,000 papers in three days.

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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

The long list of damage claims brought before the committee on claims recently indicates a dangerous condition of our streets or else a lot of misrepresentation by the people supposed to be injured.

NO TUBERCULOSIS GERMS AT THE POLE.

The latest suggestion as to the utility of the North pole comes from the surgeon of the Peary party who says that the air of the polar regions is adapted for the cure of tuberculosis. The doctors have been sending cases to warmer climates but this is the first announcement that they would recuperate equally well in the intense cold of the polar regions.

REBUFF TO CERTAIN VAUDEVILLE ACTORS.

For some time past there has been a tendency among vaudeville actors to single out somebody in the audience as a butt for derisive laughter. In Philadelphia recently an actor got into trouble by flashing a spotlight upon a young woman sitting with her husband in the audience as the comedian sang "There's Class to a Girl Like That." It seems there was class to the husband also for he jumped upon the stage and punched the comedian. He was taken to court and the judge, a Philadelphia lawyer at that, decided that the man was justified in thus defending his wife.

THE DEATH OF ROBERT HOE.

Few inventions of modern times have done more for civilization than the perfected printing press; and no man was more closely identified with the development and perfection of the rotary press than Robert Hoe, who died in London the other day.

It was Robert Hoe, his grandfather, who two generations ago produced the idea that ultimately developed into the marvelous printing press of today. It was the elder Robert Hoe who originated the idea of the cylindrical printing press which is the basis of the monstrous presses that run off the greatest newspapers in the world today.

But for the Hoe press the recent revolution in the newspaper business by which vast editions can be run off at lightning rapidity would have been impossible.

In making it possible to print with such perfection and rapidity, Robert Hoe did as much perhaps as any man that ever lived for the spread of intelligence and the advancement of knowledge in every civilized land.

THE LAWRENCE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.

The letter from the state board of education to the local superintendent of schools in reference to the Industrial school of Lawrence is one of considerable importance to the youth of Lowell.

We have already stated in these columns that the Lawrence school is available to students over fourteen years of age outside of Lawrence. The state board of education now urges upon the attention of Lowell boys the advantages of the school. Anybody desirous of knowing more of the courses should address Principal Dooley who has charge of the school.

The school is in its infancy, and its courses may not be properly adjusted or coordinated so as to offer the greatest advantage to students. The institution will improve with time, and it would be well for the people of Lowell to look into the courses of study and see whether they offer an opportunity for a smart boy to learn the principles of some trade or a number of trades by attending the Lawrence school. There is also a department in which girls are trained in the domestic arts. This is something new in this part of the state, and it should be availed of by girls who may be able to attend.

The communication of the state board shows that that body is interested in the success of the school and in having the opportunities it offers made available to the largest number possible.

TAFT AND THE ROOSEVELT POLICIES.

President Taft is making a favorable impression wherever he goes by his speeches. He has undertaken in a few cases to say that he would enforce the Roosevelt policies, but that is practically as far as he has gone in reference to the Roosevelt policies since he became president.

President Taft is outlining policies of his own that do not coincide exactly with the Roosevelt policies. They will probably accomplish more with less violence. Roosevelt might be compared to a surgeon who always favors the use of the knife as a remedy for disease, while Taft typifies the physician who uses scientific remedies and applies the knife only as a last resort. The people generally prefer the Taft method as the more rational and the more effective. For example, President Taft says he would narrow the anti-trust law so that it would not include in its category of crimes anything except a conspiracy or combination deliberately entered into to suppress competition in interstate trade.

"It has been suggested," says the president, "that the law ought to limit its denunciation to those contracts in restraint of trade that are unreasonable. I do not favor any such limitation, for the reason that in the common law the reasonable restraint of law came to have a very different meaning. What we need is a just anti-trust law, a law that can be enforced; a law, too, that provides for the imprisonment of all trust officials who violate it."

Such a change in the anti-trust law would undoubtedly prove beneficial, for nothing will stop violations of the anti-trust law so readily as the imprisonment of those convicted for breaking the law.

This change in the anti-trust law and another change which the president suggests in the Inter-state commerce law are among the most important recommendations he has made. Moreover, they are both in the line of sound public policy and the better enforcement of restrictive laws. When addressing himself to judicial questions the contrast between his stand and that of ex-President Roosevelt was very striking.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

Rev. Harry E. Peabody, pastor of the Windsor avenue Congregational church at Hartford, Conn., Sunday announced his resignation. He has accepted a call to the South Congregational church in Chicago. Within the past ten years he has been especially active in crusade work against various resorts in Hartford. In his college days Mr. Peabody played full back on the Harvard football team for four years. He declined a call to the presidency of Pomona college, Claremont, Cal., to take the Chicago pulpit.

During the coming year three of the Brown faculty will be absent on their Sabbatic years: Professor Blanchard of the department of civil engineering, Professor Benedict of the department of English, and Mr. Archibald of the department of mathematics.

Home made jam is gradually disappearing from the 20th century European household. And yet 60 years ago George Sand, who treated most of her domestic duties somewhat lightly, was discovered by a visitor wearing a cotton dress and a big apron, and skimming a potful of fruit destined for the jampot. "It is not easy work," she remarked. "I find it harder to make good jam than to write 'Valentine' or 'Mauprat'; but there are some tasks one cannot leave to others."

A press clipping bureau has been installed at the vatican. Pius X reads only two newspapers, the Osservatore Romano, the official organ of the Holy See, and the Difesa, of Venice. All the other Italian newspapers are read by a young journalist, who cuts out all the news of interest and sends the clippings daily to Cardinal Merry del Val.

The cardinal marks in blue pencil anything of importance which he considers that the pope ought to see and in turn sends the clippings of the day to the pope, who only reads what is marked by his secretary of state. A certain number of foreign newspapers are sent to the secretariate of state, where four clerks who know French, German, Spanish and English cut out important paragraphs relating to vatican news, translate them into Latin and send them to the pope. The clipping of foreign newspapers, however, is generally done by bishops, who send to Rome news of interest published in the newspapers of their dioceses.

All the clippings are bound separately, divided according to countries and sub-divided according to newspapers and carefully indexed for future reference. The most bulky books of recent clippings relate to Modernism and especially to Tyrrell and to Murri, the leader of the Italian Modernists.

Both the new academicians in Paris, Brieux and Prevost, are ready with new plays. Brieux, of course, is a dramatist by profession, and his piece is a comedy, "La Plus Forte," which is to be the first play of the new season at the Vaudeville. Meanwhile the Comedie-Francaise will revive his "Robe Rouge" and possibly undertake "La Foi," which Sir Herbert Tree, in any case, is soon to try in London. Prevost has seldom attempted the theatre and with slight success. This time he has drawn a play from his own recent novel, "Pierre et Therese." The Gymnase will have it.

Rev. Dr. John H. DeForest, a veteran Congregational minister at Senday, Japan, has been decorated by the imperial government with the order of the Rising Sun.

Mrs. Martin J. Wessels of Spokane, Wash., is said to be one of the few artists, if not the only one, whose work is devoted exclusively to pictures of grain. Among her pictures are the frescoes in the rooms of the Spokane Chamber of Commerce, and the decorations on the walls of the Spokane building at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition. Mrs. Wessels is the wife of an artist, and it was her admiration of her husband's work that first led her to try her hand at making grain pictures.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

"The Girl Outcast" with Miss Enid Mayo in the leading role was the attraction at the Opera House last evening. The show is of a high order and although the company has been on the road but a few weeks this season all the members demonstrated that they are capable and were carefully rehearsed.

Miss Mayo is an actress of exceptional ability and her portrayal of "Ruth Holt" is of a high order. She has a sweet girlish personality and an artistic and emotional temperament.

The other members of the company are well adapted to the parts they assume and in all the performance last evening was one that should have been greeted by a larger attendance.

DAVID COPPERFIELD.

While every work by Charles Dickens is world famous, his "David Copperfield" stands out as his very best. The statement has been made that "Micawber," a name which has become world famous, is a picture of the characteristics of his own father. Every work that emanated from the pen of Charles Dickens shows that even in the humblest walks of life there is a rugged honesty and true charity.

The dramatization of "David Copperfield," which will be under the management of Edward C. White, will therefore be a treat to those who have read and admired Dickens, and rare enjoyment to those who have never perused the works of this great author. "David Copperfield" is a play which once seen is never forgotten, which recalls a host of pleasant memories.

This meritorious attraction comes to the Opera House tonight.

THE TRAVELING SALESMAN

A marked feature of James Forbes' comedy success, "The Travelling Salesman," which comes to the Opera House October 1 and 2, is the large number of laughable slang expressions, entirely new to those who find much to interest them in the works of the celebrated slang authors of the day. Mr. Forbes as a creator of risible expressions, sprang into prominence by reason of "The Chorus Lady" and has more than duplicated his first success with "The Traveling Salesman." The production ran an entire season at the Gaiety theatre in New York, four months at the Park theatre in Boston, and six months at the Illinois theatre in Chicago to crowded houses.

THE GAY HUSSARS

When Mr. Henry W. Savage's production of the dashing military operetta, "The Gay Hussars" is shown here at the Opera House, October 4, the ladies will have an opportunity to see the hat which already is the vogue in Paris and Vienna and which promises to be the fashion during the winter in New York. It is called the "Gay Hussars" turban and threatens to become as popular as the "Merry Widow" hat.

A BROKEN IDOL

Among the novelties contained in the merry musical farce, "A Broken

OTIS HARLAN.

Idol," which will be presented at the Opera House [illegible] is a [illegible] done by six pretty girls, who are known as the "[illegible] Boys." [illegible] is a revival of one of the most popular acts of old time minstrelsy. The dance is done in black face and the costumes are made from old time plates.

THE WHITESIDE-STRAUSS CO.

The Whiteside-Strauss company will open a four days' engagement at the Lowell Opera House, commencing on Monday, Sept. 27.

The individual members of the company are said to be thoroughly capable, and the six big specialties seen between the acts are of the highest order.

"The Johnson Sisters," America's foremost singers and dancers, "The Musical Lockwoods," high class musical artists, playing a variety of brass, reed and novelty instruments, new illustrated songs, Miss Maude Clement, the petite comedienne, moving pictures changed nightly, Miss Vivian Laid Law in character songs, Burdette Bros., the greatest of all comedy acrobats, and Will S. Strauss, that funny fellow.

Ladies' tickets will be issued for Monday night only. Seats are now on sale.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

"Winning on Wind," one of the feature acts at Hathaway's theatre this week is a perfect cyclone of fun. Lewis McCord, who used to appear here in his own sketch, "Her First Rehearsal," has the principal part in this sketch.

Yosco and Lyons, musicians, do their very pretty and effective little act, which holds some real gems of musical worth.

"A Piece of Dresden China," a typical English music hall comedy act, bristles with funnyisms. There are three persons in the company. Jere McAuliffe, who will be pleasantly remembered as a stock company star, gives his inimitable parodies. The Four Sullivans sing and dance well, and the Aldines have an acrobatic act which is good. McAdams and his talking dog "Spike" offer a novelty. The motion pictures are new.

THEATRE VOYONS

Today the Theatre Voyons is showing the Urban-Eclipse pictures of the International Aviation contests at Rheims, France. This picture is about twelve minutes long and it contains all the best portions of these contests. It shows Curtiss, Bleriot, Latham, Renand, Farman, Tissandier, Lambert, Paulan and several other aviators all in flight. The contests shown were for the world's championship and mark the establishment of many new records for flights. Not only are the machines shown in the air but close views are shown of them while starting so that the construction of the machine can be plainly seen. With the exception of the Wright brothers every noted aviator of the world is shown with his machine and shown so clearly that one can instantly recognize it even when three or four are pictured circling around in the air at once. No picture ever taken contains so much real interest to one who wishes to be up-to-date in all the world's progress as does this and one can learn more of flying machines by carefully watching it than by reading many pages of magazine description. It is a perfect picture, photographically clear and distinct in every portion and one that is entertaining and at the same time very instructive.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

The bill provided for the patrons of the Academy of Music this week maintains the high standard of that house. Jordon and Brennen are two important names on the program. Martyne and Hardy are down for an original sketch, featuring Mr. Martyne's lightning change from black face to white. Miss Claudia Bessette is singing "You're Just the Boy for me," with great success. Beautiful travellettes.

MR. AND MRS. W. K. VANDERBILT, JR., WHOSE SEPARATION IS ANNOUNCED

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The announcement that Mr. and Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., had finally decided to live apart caused no surprise in society circles in New York and Newport. Almost from the day of their marriage 10 years ago the Vanderbilts have had disagreements. Mrs. Vanderbilt was Miss Virginia Fair of California, and there were many titled men seeking her hand when her engagement to "Willie K." Vanderbilt was announced. Incompatibility is given as the cause of the separation. Friends of both Mrs. Vanderbilt and her husband declare that every effort at reconciliation has failed and that the couple will live apart in future. They have three children.

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CHAIRMAN MacLEOD

Says Democracy Will Win in This State This Year

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—Political conditions are such this year that the democratic party can win, according to a statement made yesterday by Chairman Fred J. MacLeod of the democratic state committee.

"This," he said, "is the belief of conservative men—not of optimistic enthusiasts—but men who in the past have been in a position to forecast correctly the outcome of political campaigns and who have done so."

Chairman MacLeod said that there have been a number of conferences between himself and many of these men during the last few months, and that it is the general opinion of all that this is the democracy's year. Among others who are of this opinion, Chairman MacLeod mentioned Charles S. Hamlin, who is to preside over the state convention of the party in Faneuil hall next Thursday.

He stated that the object of the conferences was not to talk over the chances of party success, but to devise ways and means of placing the organization on a fighting basis.

"The outlook is more hopeful than it has been at any time since I have been connected with the state committee," he said. "There are men now working for harmony and organization who have not for years taken an active part in the campaign. The feeling of all is in favor of taking hold and putting the democracy back in the position it should occupy."

Chairman MacLeod stated also that there will be a candidate in the field for every elective office on the ballot in every district in the state. Steps to that end have already been taken, especially in the senatorial and representative districts, and the state committee, according to its chairman, is hopeful that the result will show an increased membership in both the senate and the house this year.

"A number of issues in this campaign are what might be called 'popular,' and on each of them the democracy has always declared favorably. I may cite especially the direct nomination issue and the tax on incomes. Both are to have a prominent place in the Faneuil hall platform, and on both the democracy has been on record for years. I have urged the democrats all over the state to put their strongest candidates in nomination for the senate and house, even in districts where it appears impossible for anyone but a republican to win. This will be urged even more strongly between now and the last date for filing nomination papers, and the state committee is exceedingly hopeful of the results."

He also said that the party was now engaged in the task of organizing county democratic clubs. Up to date only one of them has been formed, the Hampshire County club, of which Harry E. Bicknell of Chicopee is president, but within the next few days there will be similar organizations, he said, in Berkshire, Essex, and several other counties, while the work is to be carried on even after the election.

Chairman MacLeod said that the county clubs would be made up of numerous town and city organizations, with a central board of officers, and that any democrat in any county would be considered a member at any time he saw fit to take part in the work of the organization.

The object of the clubs, he said, would be to strengthen the democracy in the country towns, he believing that in the past the party had depended too much on the cities and paid too little attention to the voters in the rural districts.

The work of filling out the 574 credentials has been accomplished at state headquarters on Beacon street, and the documents have been mailed.

CARS COLLIDED

Lowell Electric in Rear-End Crash

ARLINGTON, Sept. 24.—Two cars of the Boston elevated railway were in collision at Arlington Center, near Water street, shortly before 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. One person was slightly injured. This point is the terminus of the Arlington Center-Beacon street line of cars. Here, after shifting ends, they are switched off to a siding.

At the time of the accident a number of cars were outward bound, while directly behind the Beacon street car was a Lowell-bound car from Sullivan square. The Lowell car was stopped to let the shifting car get onto the siding.

As the Beacon street car got to the switch the rear trucks jumped the track. Before the car could be brought to a standstill the rear end crashed into the standing Lowell car.

John J. Mullen of 269 Main street, Charlestown, was on the end of the seat nearest the collision, and he claimed his side was hurt by the blow. He refused medical attendance and returned on the next in-bound car for Charlestown.

The Lowell car was not damaged to any extent, but the Beacon street car was badly smashed about the rear platform. Glass was broken, the step broken off and the dasher battered. The line was blocked for about 20 minutes.

CITY HALL NEWS

Committee on Claims Meets Tonight

The common council will meet in regular session next Tuesday evening. Although the meeting of the board of aldermen has not as yet been called, it was said at city hall this morning that a special meeting would be called for Monday morning.

Fire Department

The committee on fire department will make a tour of inspection next Thursday afternoon of all the fire houses in the city, and the evening session will be given over to the consideration of the new automobile apparatus in Warren street.

Committee on Claims

The committee on claims will meet in executive session this evening at 7.30 o'clock in the office of the city solicitor, when it will finally decide what shall be done with the several petitions heard last night.

City Solicitor's Opinion

Late yesterday afternoon the city auditor received an opinion from the city solicitor to the effect that the board of police had the right under the statute to create an office within the scope of their duty and the mayor this morning received the same opinion.

Civil Service Examination

Today the city messenger was informed that the state civil service commission would hold an examination in the public hearing room at city hall, October 25th, for the purpose of filling vacancies in the department of steam boiler inspectors.

RIBS BROKEN

JOHN DEERING HURT AT THE CARPET MILLS

John Deering, residing at 55 Adams street, had several ribs fractured while at work at the Bigelow Carpet mill this morning. The ambulance was summoned and he was removed to the Lowell hospital where he received treatment.

THE MINISTERS

Caused Change in Pres. Taft's Program

SALT LAKE CITY, Sept. 24.—Tentative arrangements for the reception and entertainment of President Taft, who is scheduled to arrive in Salt Lake at 3 o'clock today have undergone some modifications. The original program embraced an address by the president at the Mormon tabernacle and a review of school children of Salt Lake on the Sabbath day.

The Ministers association at Salt Lake immediately express its disapproval of this particular feature of the program in a formal resolution.

More recent arrangements will permit the president to rest Sunday forenoon at his hotel until 11 o'clock, at which time his special train is scheduled to leave for Ogden, Utah.

PACKING HOUSES

To be Inspected by the Japanese

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—With the arrival today of the Japanese commercial commissioners for a four days' stay in Chicago commercial and manufacturing organizations will endeavor to answer the question of the Mikado's commissioners: "Why does the United States furnish only 10 per cent. of Japanese import trade?"

The Japanese party consisting of 75 persons, including financiers, merchants, importers, railroad officers and their wives traveling in a special train has carefully scrutinized American business methods at principal points from Seattle to Milwaukee and will continue the investigation throughout the country.

The first industry to be investigated in Chicago will be the livestock and meat packing business at the union stock yards. Preparations have been made to show the Japanese everything of interest in and about Chicago.

BIG WARSHIPS

Arrive to Take Part in Celebration

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The German cruiser squadron composed of the Victoria Luise, Hertha, Bremen and Dresden, which will participate in the Hudson-Fulton ceremonies, arrived at New York today, reaching the quarantine station at 8.15 a. m. The British battleship Inflexible, under command of Admiral Sir Hobart Seymour, arrived off the Hook this morning and joined the three other British warships which have been awaiting her arrival since yesterday. The British ships remained at anchor off the Hook.

The American cruiser Montana arrived this morning to join the other American warships anchored in the Hudson river.

ONE MAN KILLED

Four Others Injured in Auto Accident

ROCKFORD, Ill., Sept. 24.—Charles Blodgett of Chicago, a traveling salesman, was killed, Albert Westerberg was fatally injured, and Oscar Johnson, Ernst Christiansen and Fred Dangtson were hurt last night when an automobile in which they were returning from Belvidere turned turtle.

NEGROES EXCITED

Think End of World Comes Today

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 24.—Negroes here are very much excited because of a report which seems to be generally current among them that the end of the world will come today. Last night many negroes gathered in their homes and at the churches making preparations for the "judgment." Where the report originated no one seems to know.

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"Our little boy had tetter also. He is nearly two. I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment for him and he was soon cured. I used them right away so he didn't get as sore as Kathryn did. Mrs. Blanche Rishel, Centremisie, Pa., Oct. 22, 1908."

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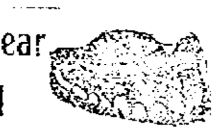

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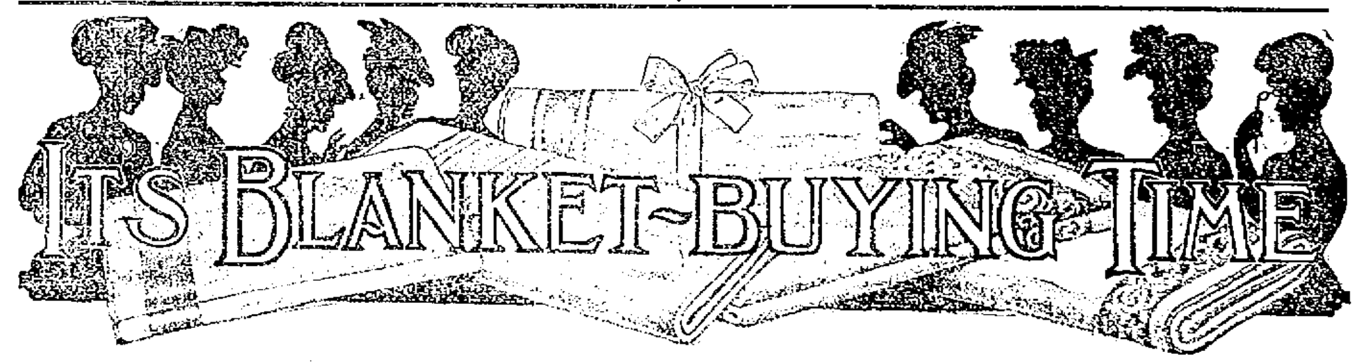

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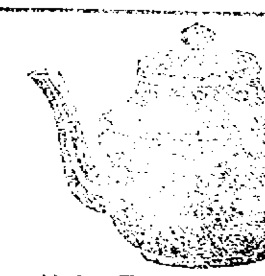

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TANNERY HEARING

Counsel for Am. Hide & Leather Co. Argued for Company

Lawyer McClennan Minimized the Odors on Howe Street and Said They Could be Eliminated in New Building on the Same Site—Expert Yocum Told About Beam Houses Elsewhere—Lawyer Burke Presented Petition of the Leather Workers' Union

A hearing on the tannery nuisance in Howe street, was held before the board of health in the public hearing room at city hall last night. The hearing was continued from Monday morning, the petitioners for the abatement of the nuisance having been heard at that time. Last night the remonstrants were heard and the hearing closed.

The remonstrants did not succeed in proving that a nuisance does not exist in Howe street, but counsel for the company said that if allowed to rebuild, the American Hide & Leather Co. would erect a substantial beam house with modern appliances for the elimination of odors.

Edward M. McClennan, a Boston lawyer, appeared for the American Hide & Leather Co., and introduced one John H. Yocum, a beam house expert, who said that were a new beam house erected in Howe street and equipped with modern appliances for the elimination of odors, no offensive odor would be noticeable 10 feet from the building.

Close on the trail of this statement Mr. Yocum said there was less smell from the beam house in Howe street than from the majority of beam houses and less than from a beam house in a modern building at Peabody.

Mr. McClennan and Mr. Yocum scouted the idea of the Howe street odors being injurious to health. Mr. McClennan said that the public press had done the American Hide and Leather Co. an injustice by attempting to raise more of a smell in Howe street than was really necessary. Expert Yocum said that ninety per cent. of the odors came from the pickle, not from the hides. He admitted, however, that pigeon and chicken manure were used in the process of scouring the line from the hides.

Lawyer Burke presented a formidable petition from the Leather Workers' union and Dennis Healey as president presented the reasons why the union

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NO CURE FOR IT. OTHER FORMS OF ITCHING PREFERALBE

There is no cure for an itching palm—the money kind. Even poslam, the new skin discovery, cannot help it. But when it comes to eczema, the most annoying of itching skin troubles, poslam will stop the itching at once and cure the worst cases in a few days. So with hives, rash, [illegible], split toes, piles, and scaly scalp, all of which are different forms of eczema, accompanied by severe itching and caused by imperfect digestion and careless diet.

Poslam comes in two-dollar jars, but fifty cents' worth will answer in curing any of the diseases mentioned. It can be had of any druggist. Falls & Burkinshaw and Carter & Sherburne make a specialty of it.

That results are immediate will be amply demonstrated overnight by the use of the experimental sample which the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York City, will send free by mail in plain wrapper, to anyone who will write for it.

GERMAN OFFICER

At the Hudson-Fulton Celebration

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Grand Admiral von Koester of the German navy, who is attending the Hudson-Fulton celebration, has been repeatedly called the ranking officer of the international

ADMIRAL VON KOESTER

fleet. This, however, is disputed by the British. Admiral Sir Edward H. Seymour bears the title of admiral of the fleet, which is the highest naval title in Great Britain. The kaiser and Prince Henry are the only two persons who rank Grand Admiral von Koester in the German navy.

Saturday, October 2, 1909 is "quarter day" at the Lowell Five Cent Savings bank. Open an account. Deposit now.

THE TEACHERS

FOR THE EVENING SCHOOLS NOT NAMED YET

At the meeting of the sub-committee on evening schools last night there was an informal discussion as regards the opening of the evening schools and also as to the assignment of teachers to the same.

After the meeting Supt. Whitcomb said that there was no nomination of teachers, but that each sub-committeeman will present to the superintendent a list of nominees for his school, which list will be typewritten in time for presentation to the full board Tuesday night. Contrary to the custom in former years, the elections will take place in the full board before the opening of the schools.

As regards the principalship of the Evening High school Mr. Whitcomb said last night that he had no official knowledge of any nomination to this position. Mr. Simpson, of the subcommittee, is the man whose privilege it is to make the nomination, and the superintendent said he had not yet made it, so far as he knew.

Kittredge's orchestra, Prescott hall, Saturday night.

RADIANT HAIR

New York Society Woman's Hair Matched Only by Parisians

While much attention is given to choicest gowns by New York society women, the [illegible] just now is the care of the hair.

For many years the clever women of Paris have been famed for the magnificent beauty of their hair.

"Glorious hair," a Virginian calls it; "so radiant and luxuriant that it not only attracts but [illegible], and compels unstinted admiration."

But now that the elite of New York, ever anxious to improve their beauty, have learned that Parisian Sage, a remarkable and almost marvelous hair nourisher and beautifier, is almost entirely responsible for the charming hair of the belles of France, the demand for it [illegible] enormous.

A Philadelphia [illegible] who analyzed Parisian Sage said: "It is the ideal dressing for the hair. The ingredients are so scientific [illegible] that Parisian Sage is [illegible] hair grower, because it [illegible] dandruff germs, and [illegible] hair roots."

"Second, it [illegible] and brilliancy [illegible] which improves the attractiveness of anyone."

"Third, it is [illegible] and does not [illegible] anything that could [illegible] scalp or hair."

Parisian Sage is [illegible] over America by [illegible] druggists and in Lowell by Carter & Sherburne, who [illegible] to eradicate dandruff, stop [illegible] scalp in two weeks [illegible].

It is the [illegible] hair that [illegible], and, best of all, the price [illegible] every family can afford to use it. A large, generous bottle for 50 cents. Made in America by Giroux Mfg. Co., Buffalo, N. Y., who fill mail orders, charges prepaid [illegible] 50 cents. The girl with the Auburn hair is on every package.

Lowell, Friday, September 24, 1909.

A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

AGENTS FOR BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS

The New Season's Goods

NOW FILL THE STORE

And our showing is one to be proud of. Assortments were never more attractive or prices more worthy. We say we can serve you best—let us prove to you our ability to do so.

NEW SHIPMENTS OF WOMEN'S SUITS THAT HAVE ALREADY PROVED FAVORITES

If you would like to see a suit that does not look like an $18.50 suit, which, if you buy, your neighbor will think is worth much more, perhaps you will come in to see these splendid $18.50 suits freshly arrived this week. Hard Twisted Worsteds, Serges and Homespuns with a good satin lining and in several good colors. Yes, a long coat and pleated skirt—combination one is not apt to tire of.

A Few Homespun Suits—Regular value $22.50, Friday and Saturday sale price $18.50

THE HORIZON'S WHITE WITH WAISTS

You would not believe summer was over if you could see the shipments of White Waists coming in. The horizon is white with sails every day.

Plain Tailored Linens .... $1.50 to $2.98
Embroidered Linens .... $2.98 to $5.98
Tailored Madras—Striped.............. 98c to $2.98
Lingerie Waists of Lawn and Batiste—Variously trimmed with lace and embroidery...... $1.98 to $7.50
Wash Flannel Waists—In assorted colors and stripes .... 98c to $3.98
Fancy Waists—Silk and Net Waists.............. $2.98 to $15.00

AFTER ALL, RAINCOATS ARE THE BEST CLOTHES Friends to Girls and Women.

Many a rainy and snowy day will come and raincoats will then be the keys to unlock days of outdoor pleasure.

Cravenetted Raincoats are back again—far too useful to be without. Warmer than satin and so closely woven that they successfully help to bar winter breezes.

Silk Rubber Coats—Regular value $12.98.............. $10.50
Cravenetted Automobile Coats—Regular price $16.50.............. $13.50
Cravenetted Serge Storm Coats and Storm Capes—Regular value $20.00 .... $15.00

PETTICOAT LUXURY

Times have changed. The day of the "one silk petticoat" has gone with the arrival of $3.98 and $5.00 prices.

The woman who could only afford one may have two or three of different colors, to match her different suits, all desirable colors, in all the new shades $5.00
Extra Size Black Silk Petticoats $5.00

CLOAK DEPARTMENT SECOND FLOOR

NEW FALL MILLINERY

The latest and most desirable fashions are here at our usual much-under-the-regular prices.

Trimmed Hats—Large and small shapes, $4.98 to $5.98
Ready-to-Wear Hats $2.25
Silk, Satin and Moire Hats...... $1.98, $2.25, $2.98
Misses' College and Sailor Hats.............. 98c
Untrimmed Sample Felt Hats......... 69c and 98c
Worth from $1.50 to $2.50 each.
Sample Line of Fancy Feathers... 25c to $1.25 each
One-half the regular price.

Palmer Street Centre Aisle

Choose From 2000 Pairs of Ruffled Muslin Curtains for 49 Cents

The Regular 75c and 98c Qualities.

We offer these in plain tucked with insertion and edged. See Merrimack street window.

East Section Second Floor

SPECIAL

100 Dozen Fine Lawn Tea Aprons With Ruffles and Pocket. Regular price 15c, 10c EACH

EAST SECTION CENTRE AISLE

NOW FOR THE PICKLING SEASON

Here we offer first quality stone jars with covers at the lowest prices ever quoted in Lowell. We buy in carload lots—at the lowest factory price—and thereby secure the low carload freight rate. The saving is for our customers.

Sizes	1 Gal.	2 Gal.	3 Gal.	4 Gal.	5 Gal.	6 Gal.	8 Gal.	10 Gal.	12 Gal.
Usual Price	25c	35c	50c	67c	[illegible]	[illegible]	$1.40	$1.65	Without Cover
Sale Price	20c	30c	45c	55c	70c	85c	$1.10	$1.30	$1.50

FLOWER POTS AND SAUCERS

4 in.	5 in.	6 in.	7 in.	8 in.	9 in.	10 in.	12 in.
4c	5c	7c	10c	15c	20c	30c	50c

MERRIMACK STREET BASEMENT

BASEMENT BARGAIN DEPT.

Friday and Saturday Are Days of Good Values in This Department.

Boys' Fall Suits at low prices:

Boys' Two Piece Suits in dark and medium colors made with knickerbocker pants, for boys of 8 to 17 years, $3 suit at $1.98 suit.

Boys' Russian Suits with sailor collars and military collars, made of good material and nicely trimmed $2.50 value at $1.98 a suit.

Boys' Double Breasted Suits, made of good wool material and worsted, all new patterns in dark and medium colors, made with knickerbocker pants, for boys of 8 to 17 years, $4 value at $2.98 a suit.

Russian Suits for boys of 2½ to 8 years, made in very latest designs, nicely trimmed, worsted, serges and Scotch mixtures, $4 suit at $2.98 a suit.

We have a large assortment of better suits, Two Piece Russian and Sailor, made of the very best material, well made and nicely trimmed, knickerbocker pants, suits sold in clothing stores from $5 to $7.50, at $3.98 and $4.98 a suit.

Boys' Knickerbocker Pants, made of good blue and black cheviot and fancy mixtures, pants cut full and well made, 69c value, at 50 pair.

Boys' Knickerbocker Pants, made of good worsted and wool mixture and cheviots, $1.00 value, at 75c pair.

BLANKETS AND COMFORTERS At Low Prices for the Next Two Days.

We have the most complete stock of Cotton Blankets in New England. Our prices are low for good standard size:

Full 10-4 Cotton Blankets, gray, white and tan, good warm blankets, with fast color borders, 59c value, at 55c pair.

11-4 Size, white and gray, 75c value, at 69c pair.

11-4 Size, white and gray, 89c value at 79c pair.

11-4 Size, white and gray, $1.00 value, at 89c pair.

11-4 Size, white and gray, $1.25 value at $1.00 pair.

12-4 Size, white and gray, $1.59 value, at $1.39 pair.

Wool Finish Blankets—Bay State quality. The best wool finished blankets made:

Full 11-4 size, worth $1.59, at $1.39 pair.

Full 11-4 size, worth $2.00, at $1.59 pair.

Full 11-4 size, worth $2.50, at $2.00 pair.

Full 12-4 extra size, worth $2.50, at $2.00 pair.

Full 12-4 extra size, worth $3.00, at $2.25 pair.

COMFORTERS.

Our Bed Comforters are made of good covering and filled with clean white sanitary batting and you will not find that unpleasant odor in our comforters, as they are made expressly for us and nothing but best materials are used.

Single Bed Comforters, $1.00 value at 75c.

Large Bed Comforters, $1.25 value at $1.00.

For Double Bed Comforters, $1.50 value, at $1.25.

For Double Bed Comforters, $2.00 value, at $1.50.

Extra Size Comforters, $2.00 value at $1.50.

Extra Size Comforters, $3.00 value at $2.00.

Extra Size Comforters, $3.00 value at $2.50.

For two days only, Feather Bed Pillows, made of good chicken feathers, best ticking covering, worth $1.50 a pair, at $1.25 pair.

MEN'S BARGAIN DEPARTMENT (Basement.)

Men's Derby Hats, black and brown, latest shapes, samples of high priced hats, worth $2.00 to $3.50, at $1.39 each.

Men's Soft Hats, in all the latest shapes, in black, brown and green:
$2.00 hats at $1.39 each.
$2.50 hats at $1.70 each.
$1.50 hats at 98c each.

Men's Fall Caps, made of the newest cloth, Scotch mixtures and worsted, in the latest shapes:
50c caps at 38c each.
75c caps at 48c each.

Boys' Eton Caps, velvet, leather, covert and fancy mixtures:
25c value at 15c.
39c value at 25c.

MEN'S, BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S SWEATERS.

Just opened, our new line of sweaters, and we are offering extra good value in medium priced Sweaters:

Men's, Boys' and Children's Sweaters at 50c, worth 75c.

Men's, Boys' and Children's Sweaters at 75c, worth $1.00.

Men's, Boys' and Children's Sweaters at $1.00, worth $1.25.

Jersey Ribbed Underwear, ecru, made of good combed yarn, shirts and drawers, all sizes, 50c value, at 35c each.

Men's Merino Hose, black, oxford, natural and blue, 15c value, at 10c pair.

Boys' Braces, made of good elastic web, mohair ends, 10c value, at 5c pair.

BAGS

Nine inch gilt frame, strap handle, moire lined, inside purse, in navy blue, red, black and brown leather. Regular price $1 only. 50c each.

BELTS

To make room for our fall goods we shall close out one lot of assorted belts for 10c each. Regular price 50c.

BAR PINS

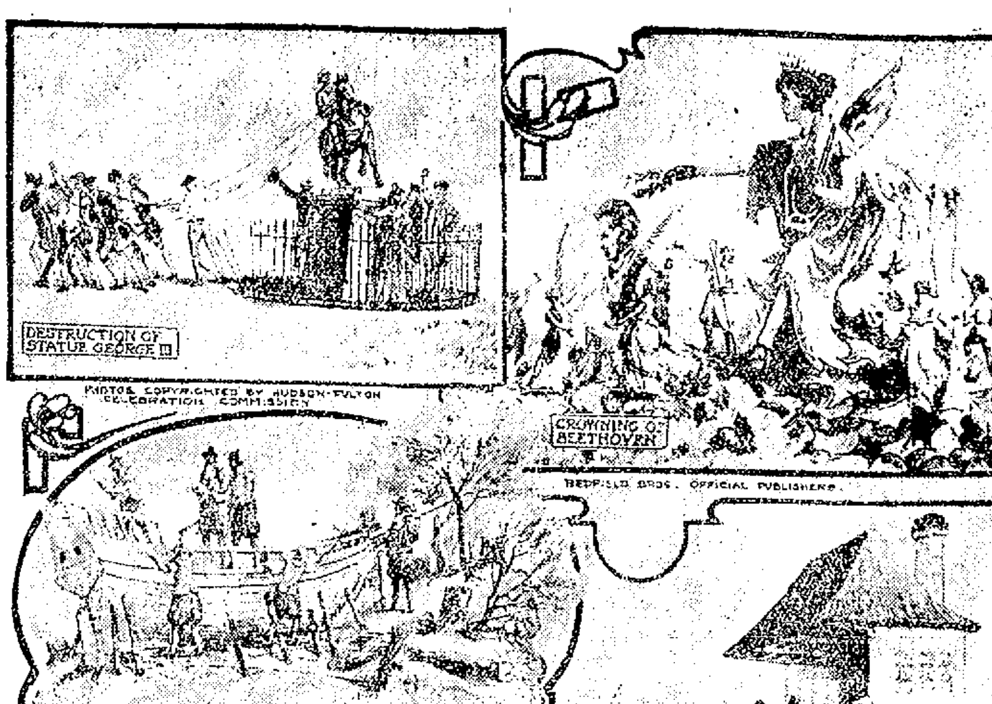
One lot of gilt, oxidized and green gold finished pins. The latest pins for Malins bows. 10c each. Regular prices 25c and 50c.

PERFUME

Jockey Club and Indian Hay, some of our best extracts. Regular price 59c and 75c oz. Special sale price 25c oz.

West Section Right Aisle

SOME OF THE FLOATS TO BE SEEN IN NEW YORK'S BIG CARNIVAL PARADE



NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The historical pageant to be held in New York on Sept. 28 will be the first of the kind seen in the metropolis in many years. It will also eclipse any float parade so far undertaken in the United States. On Oct. 2 the big carnival parade will take place. It will comprise 50 floats, photographs of some of which are reproduced herewith. A great force of artists has been busy for more than a year preparing these floats, and they are the most gorgeous things imaginable. Forty bands have been engaged to furnish the music for the carnival parade. No band will have fewer than 25 pieces, and some will have as many as 50. More than 25,000 persons will participate in the moving tableaux which will form a part of the pageant.

END OF WORLD

Is Awaited by the "Faithful" at West Duxbury

WEST DUXBURY, Mass., Sept. 24.—Their faith apparently undampened by the torrential rain which fell intermittently during the night, the three hundred and more members of the "Latter reign of the apostolic church" or Triune Immersionists as they prefer to be called, awaited with prayer and song and with arms outstretched and eyes scanning the sky for a sign, the destruction and purification of the world by fire which they believed would come at 10 o'clock this forenoon. The little white wooden chapel at Ashdod, on the main turnpike between Boston and Plymouth, was crowded throughout the night by the faithful, but the services were strangely calm compared with those which have been in progress during the past few days. In the early hours today the believers engaged in quiet prayer and awaited with undiminished faith the expected cataclysm.

According to their belief based partly upon prophesies in the old testament and partly on divine revelation which some of them claim to have received, the top crust of the earth is to be peeled off in a great flame, the sinful burned in everlasting fire while the faithful will be purified and dwell on the earth eternally.

Those participating in the meeting have come from every section of New England, the Rhode Island cities, Springfield, Mass., and Waterville, Me., being especially well represented while others have journeyed from as far as Virginia to be at Ashdod when the final trumpet shall sound.

Throughout the meetings almost unprecedented enthusiasm and fervor have been manifested and some among the number have been so overcome by their emotions as to lapse into a cataleptic state while the believers surround the person thus affected and with prayer and exhortation call upon the evil spirits to cease tormenting the afflicted soul.

Although the rain came down in torrents during the night the triune immersionists managed to keep pretty dry. Most of them spent the night at the chapel but some, wearied by the intensity of the services during the past few days slept under the protection of canvas tents and a few neighboring houses. The majority of the denomination expressed confidence that the end would come at the appointed hour, 10 o'clock, while others said that if the purification did not occur at that exact time it would not be delayed more than a day or two. Despite the fact that everything would be changed after the cataclysm and material things would be of no value in the hereafter the contribution box was passed frequently during the services and the believers contributed liberally.

As the appointed time drew near the believers filled the chapel and devoted their energies to the singing of hymns. Shortly before 10 o'clock the skies darkened a portentous manner and those who had been watching for a sign appeared convinced that the millenium was at hand. One hymn followed another as the believers waited for the final purification. Ten o'clock came, but the sky brightened and the millenium in the opinion of the believers was apparently postponed for a brief period of time.

It was explained later that a revelation which was made to one of their number last night indicated that the world would not be destroyed until some time during the 24 hours beginning at 6 o'clock this evening. The faithful still continued confident that their prophecies would be fulfilled, and they spent the remainder of the forenoon in singing hymns of praise.

BUTTE MINERS

REFUSED TO GO TO WORK TODAY

BUTTE, Mont., Sept. 24.—Eighty per cent. of the Butte miners refused to go to work today on account of the dispute between the miners and engineers' union. This amounts practically to a shut down.

CONTESTING WILL

Woman Says Her 94-Year-Old Sister Was Unduly Influenced

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—Alleging that Lillian M. Nelson of 30 Mellen street, Dorchester, exerted undue influence over the late Anna L. Shaw, who died at the age of 94 as a result of a broken hip, Maria S. Eayres, a widowed sister, herself over 80 years of age, is contesting the will which leaves the Nelson woman nearly three-quarters of the estate.

The fourth day of the trial yesterday before Judge Braley and a jury in the supreme judicial court developed the facts that there was an agreement between Mrs. Nelson and Miss Anna L. Shaw that the former should care for an aged sister, Sarah E. Shaw, aged 82, as long as she lived, in consideration of the bequest to Mrs. Nelson, and that Sarah Shaw, whose legacy was to revert to Mrs. Nelson and her husband, Isaac C. Nelson, died of a broken hip 18 days after the making of the will.

Taken to the City hospital early in March 1908, with a fractured hip, Anna L. Shaw there received Miss Nelson as one of her personal friends. Upon the aged lady Mrs. Nelson lavished every care and attention. Isaac C. Nelson was an engineer employed in the hospital.

On March 16, 1908, a will was executed in which, after providing for various relatives in the sum of $1500, the residue, amounting to about $25,000, was to be held in trust by Isaac Riley, "the income to go to Lillian M. Nelson, wife of Isaac C. Nelson of Boston, as long as sister Sarah E. Shaw lives."

A few days later, when Miss Shaw was taken from the City hospital to her home at 5 Waldorf street, Dorchester, she was greeted by her sister Sarah, who hurried from the house to kiss her sister, who lay upon a stretcher. Sarah Shaw fell and broke her hip. She was immediately taken to the City hospital and placed in the same bed where Anna L. Shaw had lain. About two weeks later Sarah Shaw died. Strangely enough, Jesse Shaw, father of the deceased, also died as the result of a broken hip.

According to the testimony, Dr. Geo. Osgood, one of the house physicians at the City hospital at the time of the illness of Miss Shaw, refused to allow a will to be drawn up in the hospital, believing that Miss Shaw was incompetent on account of old age. Dr. Chas. G. Dewey, who attended the aged lady, testified he believed Miss Shaw of sound mind. Dr. Christianson of West Boston, another house physician, said upon the witness stand he believed Miss Shaw of unsound mind.

TAX ABATEMENT

NOW MORE SERIOUS MATTER THAN FORMERLY

A new law in regard to the abatement of taxes is in effect this year and it prescribes a fine of $500 or imprisonment of six months, or both, for an assessor, assistant assessor or other person who causes an abatement to be made contrary to the provisions of the law.

Will Paper Your Room for $2.00

We will paper your room, furnishing the paper and border to match, and hang the same in a first class manner for $2.00. Inside and outside painting, whitewashing, etc. Will cheerfully give an estimate on any work you intend to have done.

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The New Racket Phone 1972-1
503 MIDDLESEX ST.

LOOKS LIKE WAR

Spain and Morocco are Likely to Clash

MADRID, Sept. 24.—It is generally believed here that the complications which have arisen between Spain and Mulai Hafid, the sultan of Morocco, are likely to result in a Spanish-Moroccan war. Spain today has more than 60,000 troops in northern Africa with 11,000 more mobilizing for service there, and the government feels that only the brilliant completion of the work begun can defeat the plans of its political enemies at home. The situation at Barcelona is causing renewed anxiety. Bomb explosions in the streets of Barcelona are almost of daily occurrence and although the newspapers that print even the rumors of such occurrences are seized by the authorities, the minister of the interior insists that the government is not fighting its political enemies, but rather a widespread anarchistic plot.

"The charge that we closed the lay schools without reason is false," an official said today. "The schools were closed because of the preaching of anarchist doctrines against religion and social order that could not be tolerated by any government. When the time comes we will vindicate ourselves before the courts."

PHYSICIANS ARE NATURALLY PREJUDICED

against proprietary or advertised medicines, as the sale of these remedies decreases their incomes.

However, this may be, the general public is benefited by the use of such standard medicines as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, with its wonderful record of thousands of cures among suffering women. We are very glad to say, however, that there are hundreds of honest physicians in the United States who do not hesitate to recommend such medicines.

WON A GRAPHAPHONE

A fine graphaphone was disposed of by lot last evening at the home of Mrs. Vicaline De Ford of 242 High street. Mrs. James Nerland drew the prize and received the congratulations of the party. An enjoyable hour was spent in social pleasantries before party dispersed.

Is Your Blood Pure?

Does your head feel heavy and ache? your throat dry, nose stopped up and hot, no appetite, little chilly feelings creeping along the spine, hands hot, feet cold, tongue furred, eyes burn, you feel sick all over? Ever felt this way before?

You are bilious. Nip it in the bud; do the right thing first. Promptness will work wonders. Start using Smith's Pineapple and Butternut Pills, take two to four at bedtime. You won't need any more; they will cure you in a night. Don't wait till you get down on your back, then it will take longer, but, even then, these pills will work wonders. They promote the harmonious action of the stomach, liver and bowels.

Get a bottle of your dealer today and take them home with you and use them when you experience any departure whatever from a healthy standard. They will make your blood rich, red, pure. Physicians use and recommend. They form no habit. You should always keep them on hand. These little Vegetable Pills will ward off many ills.

To Cure Constipation Biliousness and Sick Headache in a Night, use

SMITH'S PINEAPPLE AND BUTTERNUT PILLS — FOR Constipation, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache and Diseases of the Stomach, Liver and Bowels. NATURE'S LAXATIVE PRICE 25¢

60 Pills in Glass Vial 25c.—All Dealers.

SMITH'S BUCHU LITHIA KIDNEY PILLS For Sick Kidneys
Bladder Diseases, Rheumatism, the one best remedy. Reliable, endorsed by leading physicians; safe, effectual. Results lasting. On the market 16 years. Have cured thousands. 100 pills in original glass package, 50 cents. Trial boxes, 40 pills, 25 cents. All druggists sell and recommend.

NOT GUILTY

MEN WERE ACCUSED OF SHOOTING PRIVATE COULTER

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 24.—It was announced yesterday that the general courtmartial recently held at Fort McPherson had returned a verdict of acquittal in the case of W. L. Hazelhurst and Private Elam of the 17th Infantry, U. S. A. charged with killing Private Edward Coulter of the same regiment. Coulter was shot and instantly killed by Private Elam who was a member of an arresting squad sent to quell a disturbance in a saloon near the fort. Lieut. Hazelhurst was in command of the squad.

MONEY TO LOAN

NOTES OF SALARIED PEOPLE and others also housekeepers, bought without security, easy payments. Offices in 65 principal cities. Don't be deceived by misleading advertisements, investigate actual terms of others, then save money by trading here. D. H. Tolman, Room 48, 45 Merrimack St.

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This is a pretty broad statement but a call at our office will convince you of the truth of our statements. We are not disparaging other concerns in this line but we know that the

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must produce better methods and accommodations for the borrowing public than the ordinary, old style plan of loaning money.

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AGENTS, Room 10, Hildreth Bldg., 45 Merrimack st.

OPEN EVENINGS THIS WEEK

MONEY —AT— One Per Cent

Do you have small outstanding bills? If so, come to us, and we will be pleased to furnish you with money to pay them off at One Per Cent. Per Month, returnable in small instalments to suit your ability.

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made on short notice without publicity to salaried people, merchants, teamsters and others. Pianos and furniture a specialty. If not convenient to call, write or phone, and we will have our representative call on you.

Merrimack Loan Co
Room 3, 81 Merrimack st.
Hours: 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Monday and Saturday until 9 p. m.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Albert Willett, late of Littleton, in said County of Middlesex, deceased.

Whereas, Victor H. J. Belle Isle, the administrator of the estate of said deceased has presented to said Court, his petition praying that he may be authorized to adjust by compromise or submit to arbitration, a claim in favor of said estate against one Ervin E. Smith, of said Littleton, upon terms therein set forth.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighth day of October, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you fourteen days, at least, before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-[illegible] day of September, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

MONEY to LOAN

WE [illegible]

Call, Write or 'Phone 1034.

NATIONAL LOAN CO.
40 CENTRAL STREET

AUTO ENDURANCE RUN

STOCKBRIDGE, Sept. 24.—Some 20 or more automobiles either participating or accompanying the participants in the Munsey automobile run from Washington to Boston and return, passed through here today on the last stage of the first half of the journey from Albany to Boston. The first car in the run passed through the town about 9 o'clock and the last of the party went through at 10.30. It is expected that the automobiles will reach Springfield about noontime.

BUSINESS CHANCE

$25 PER WEEK and more, steady income, on an investment of a few hundred dollars, which gives you exclusive right to own and operate latest developed vending machine. Will not interfere with your present employment. Address B. 72 F. Sun office.

MISCELLANEOUS

KASSMAN'S HAIR VIGORINE 25c, a tonic and hair grower, a delightful shampoo. Dows.

CELLAR CEMENTING, sewer connections of any kind done by experienced men at reasonable figures. Estimates given. Best of references. Patrick J. Morris, 141 Ludlam st.

DRINK GLORIA for health; sold everywhere.

LIMBURG, chimney expert. Chimneys swept and repaired. Residence, 1125 Bridge st. Tel. 915.

MOTHERS—Bent's Destroyer kills lice on children, and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair; harmless. 25c only, at Falls & Burkinshaw's 418 Middlesex st.

LAWN MOWERS SHARPENED, badges and door plates made to order at Harry Gonzales, 125 Gorham st. Tel. 952-2.

SPECIAL NOTICES

KATHERINE F. McKEON, manicuring, chiropody and massaging. Will go to your home, 35 East Merrimack St.

PLANET SOLE ROUNDER wanted. Also a Bresnahan sole moulder; hand pullers; man to heel and shave heels. Apply Lowell Shoe Co., Stackpole St.

A SHINGLER wanted, inquire at 157 Nesmith St., in forenoon or evenings.

DON'T BUY A PIANO until you have first obtained W. F. Trumbell's figures. He will guarantee to save you not less than $50.00. 101 Westford St.

BOARD AND ROOM can be had at 31 St. James street, City.

NOONEN'S HAIR STAIN, Black Brown, 25c, 50c, Dows', Osgood's, Opera Pharmacy, Noonan's, Centralville and Lowell Pharmacy.

THE TAILOR'S RULE made easy for dressmakers. Taught by M. J. Greaves, former principal of Lowell Dress Cutting school, Parkview house, 181 East Merrimack street. All kinds of repairing. Day or evening classes. Paris fashions cut and fitted.

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GREAT ENTHSUSIASM

Com. Peary Tendered Monster Welcome by Maine People

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 24.—Fifty thousand wildly enthusiastic men, women and children, their path ablaze with red fire last night, cheered Commander Robert E. Peary, the Arctic explorer, from the Maine Central railroad station a mile across the city, to the spacious auditorium, where a public reception, one of the greatest in the history of the state of Maine, was held. Maine, amid tumultuous enthusiasm, claimed the sturdy explorer as her own.

After receiving a continuous ovation from the Canadian border line on his railroad journey across the state, the only Maine man to go "north of 89" stepped from the platform of the Pullman car attached to the Bar Harbor express into a clamoring mob of impatient citizens. They had been awaiting his home-coming for nearly an hour. Almost immediately he was surrounded by a cordon of police, who had to pull their night-sticks to keep the swaying crowds away. Meanwhile, two bands stationed in front of the depot struck up a lively air and slowly the commander made his way toward the side of the great granite building. Here he was met by Mayor Adam P. Leighton of this city and Mayor Fred G. Hamilton of South Portland.

Slowly the man whose name is the topic of conversation in every household, moved toward an open carriage, which stood waiting a short distance away. The crowd broke into a prolonged yell. Peary stood up for a moment, bared his head, and bowed slightly. At that moment a sky rocket whizzed up in the air and bursting directly over his head with a loud report shot forth a shower of red, white and blue stars. The commander, casting his eyes heavenward, gazed across a sea of up-turned faces. The crowd stopped its yelling. Everyone thought he would make a speech.

"I love my cook, but oh you Peary," shouted a youngster from the crowd and the cheering began with renewed vigor.

Procession Starts

As the bands started playing a march air, the procession moved off from the station. In the first carriage came Commander Peary, Governor Bert Fernald, Mayor Leighton and Mayor Hamilton. A second carriage contained President William De Witt Hyde of Bowdoin college and two members of the governor's staff. In other carriages were seated the members of the reception committee and the city governments of the sister cities.

Following marched four companies of the militia and a band of the naval reserves. At intervals, all through the line there were citizens carrying torchlights.

As the parade moved up Congress street hill, Commander Peary arose from his seat and bowed to the cheering crowds. The windows in most of the houses were packed, and American flags floated gently in the evening breeze.

At the fire engine house a great clanging of bells began and at every corner stood a band of automobiles, whose occupants tooted their horns as the distinguished visitor and his party passed by. The Henry W. Longfellow mansion flickered with hundreds of lights. When Exchange street was reached, the military companies went ahead of the carriages. Then, amid another prolonged burst of cheering, Peary was escorted down through the lines of soldiers to the auditorium.

For a few minutes the crowds that were swarming about the outside of the big red brick building under the glare of the great electric arc lights were held in check.

"Well, what do you think of the demonstration, commander?" he was asked when he was finally inside the hall.

"I am gratified and honored," he answered quickly.

State and City Officials

In the centre of the auditorium a raised platform had been erected. At the further end was Mayor Leighton, and beside him stood Commander Peary, then Gov. Fernald, Mayor Hamilton and President Hyde. The governor's staff, clad in their bright military uniforms and gold lace, were drawn up in a line behind the five men who were to do the handshaking. The doors were thrown open and the crowd began to surge in. A side line of people were passed up the narrow aisle to the receiving platform as fast as it was possible. They were only able to catch a hurried glance and quickly shake the hand of Commander Peary. There he stood in a blue serge suit, the coat of which was of the cut worn before the commander's last dash for the top of the world. He also wore a blue outing shirt, with the usual small rolling collar and a white tie. A small white rose dropped from the buttonhole of his coat. In striking contrast to the commander were the men in evening dress about him. He looked everyone who shook his hand squarely in the eye, his own blue eyes denoting a happy, but weary, man.

"How do you do?" "Thank you," "Yes," and "It's Great" were his own exclamations as the line passed hurriedly by, while out of the large drill floor behind him swayed backward and forward an ocean of humanity, eager to clasp the hand that has touched the North pole.

Bending low to this little girl in her red coat and blue hair ribbons, smiling and grasping firmly the small hand of a lad with dishevelled hair, and bowing respectfully to that old, gray haired woman who had braved the crowds that she might shake his hand, the great explorer spent two solid hours. A few months back and he could not see a living soul for miles around; now there were thousands all about him.

"It's great," he kept repeating first to Mayor Leighton on one side, and then to Gov. Fernald on the other, "it's great"—it's great."

Banquet in His Honor

Finally after the monster crowd had been satisfied and had been sent outside the building, Peary was taken to the Falmouth hotel, where a big banquet was held in his honor.

All the while a tired, happy mother, with her two children, one a lad of six summers and the other a bright young lady had quietly and unobserved, except by a few who knew her, driven to her hotel. This woman was Mrs. Peary—the woman, whom the commander has said, helped him plan his 23 year conquest of the far north.

Commander Peary was the central figure last night in the only public function which the explorer will attend until the North pole controversy is settled. It was a brilliant affair and some four hundred citizens from Portland and South Portland were present.

Although seemingly worn out from his long railroad journey from North Sydney, C. B., the Arctic traveler sat at the head table, the centre of attraction, with a contented, happy smile lighting up his careworn face. In the centre of the head table rested a snow white candy image, representing the North pole with the Stars and Stripes flying from its apex, while all about little white snow men were dragging miniature sledges.

Commander Peary sat at the centre of the head table clad in the same neat blue suit which he wore at the reception. An unexpected ovation was accorded the man, who is home at last, while the banquet was in progress. As he started to leave the hall, a great cheer began and as he passed between the tables he was cheered again and again.

Beside the speakers at the head table were Cyrus H. K. Curtis, John Kendrick Bangs, the celebrated author; Congressman John P. Swasey of the second Maine district; President Wm. A. Wheeler of the local board of trade; Prof. Albert E. Burton, dean of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and Judge Sewall C. Strout of this city.

The speechmaking began about midnight, when Judge Edward C. Reynolds of So. Portland, a lifelong friend of the commander, was introduced as toastmaster of the evening.

Following a brief address by Judge Reynolds, Gov. Bert M. Fernald, formally welcomed Commander Peary on behalf of the state of Maine.

Gov. Fernald was followed by Mayor Adam P. Leighton of Portland, Mayor Fred G. Hamilton of South Portland, and President Hyde of Bowdoin college.

Judge Reynolds introduced Commander Peary.

It was an hour past midnight when Commander Peary arose to speak. He was greeted by a great outburst of applause, and some minutes elapsed before the explorer was able to make himself heard.

Peary's Reply

Commander Peary's response was brief.

"You know as do I that today has been a white letter day for me," he began. "This splendid demonstration in this city, every foot of which I knew in my boyhood days, this splendid gathering here, this striking loyalty from the governor straight from the shoulder, the fine tribute from Mayor Leighton to Mrs. Peary, who has endured as much as I [illegible] have touched my heart as they will touch hers. The words of Mayor Hamilton were a source of pleasure. From President Hyde you have listened to a clear enumeration of the meaning of some of the things in regard to the attainment of the pole.

"It is too [illegible] for any egotism and [illegible] are individual, it is the unfolding of the stars and stripes, and all it stands for, with the top of the earth that has been accomplished.

"I have been asked what is the scientific value of the discovery of the North pole. There are some things about it that are a great deal greater than the gatherings of a few additional data about the earth. As long as there was a part of the earth undiscovered, it was a reproach on humanity and a challenge to civilization. Another thing, it has accredited to the United States another milestone in history. The way the pole has been enveloped in mystery for 300 years, it surely will be recognized as another milestone in history.

"Another fact is the satisfaction that at last a man in spite of every obstacle has made good (cheers). Again, gentlemen, I thank you from the bottom of my heart for the courtesies of tonight."

Toastmaster Reynolds then presented him with a loving cup in behalf of the citizens of the sister cities "in recognition of his achievement in nailing the Stars and Stripes to the North pole."

"Gentlemen," responded the commander, "permit me with the assistance of this loving cup in spirt to drink the health of the state of Maine and ourselves. Again, gentlemen, I thank you most deeply in words I cannot express."

The gathering dispersed after all had shaken Commander Peary's hand. Then he retired to his suite of rooms where Mrs. Peary and the children had sought much needed rest several hours.

The Peary family will proceed by motor boat to their summer residence at Eagle island, today.

GEN'L. HUBBARD

HAS SOME OF COMMANDER PEARY'S DATA

BAR HARBOR, Me., Sept. 24.—General Thomas H. Hubbard, president of the Peary Arctic club, held a conference yesterday at Bangor with Commander Robert E. Peary and returned here last night bringing with him some of the preliminary data and records which are to be used to maintain the position of the explorer in the Cook controversy. These records will be carefully considered within the next few days and General Hubbard and Commander Peary will confer here either next Sunday or Monday. This conference may result in an announcement making public any information in the possession of Commander Peary concerning Dr. Cook.

Peary has placed his case in General Hubbard's hands, and a meeting of the officers of the Peary Arctic club will be called at the earliest possible moment by General Hubbard. The meeting will be held in New York.

"Concerning Dr. Cook," said General Hubbard last night, "I would say let him submit his records and data to some competent authority and let that authority draw its own conclusions from the notes and records taken in the field."

While Peary and General Hubbard will discuss what societies the commander's data shall be laid before the Coast and Geodetic Survey at Washington will examine the records in an official capacity inasmuch as Commander Peary is an officer of the navy attached to that bureau at present.

Kittredge's orchestra, Prescott hall, Saturday night.

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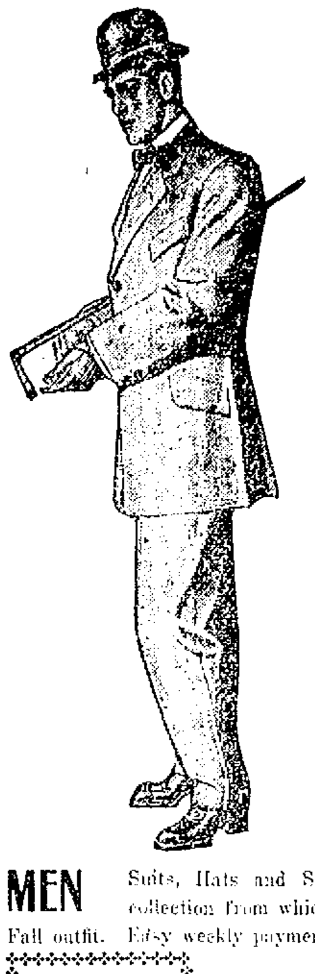

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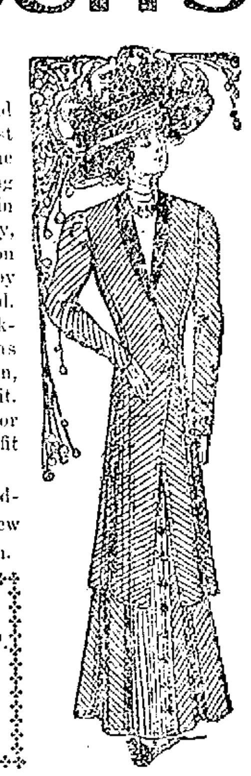

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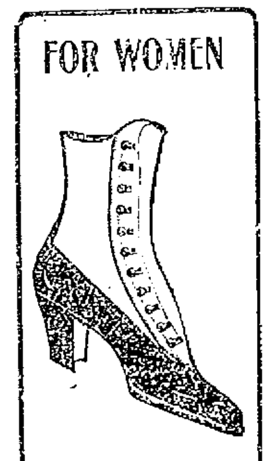

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ADMIRAL SCHLEY

Presided at the Cook Banquet

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Cheered by a thousand men and women as he entered the banquet hall last night on the arm of Rear Admiral Winfield Scott Schley (retired), Dr. Frederick A. Cook later told his story before the most brilliant audience that he has addressed since he left the court of Denmark. The banquet was given by the Arctic Club of America, of which Dr. Cook is a member, in recognition of his last polar venture which culminated in his announcement that he had reached the North pole. While there was no official representative from either state or nation, the assemblage was cosmopolitan and enthusiastic. Crowded in the great ballroom of the Waldorf-Astoria they toasted the Brooklyn explorer and listened attentively to his recital in the form of an after-dinner address.

Among those at the table were explorers, some of whom knew the dangers and suffering of the Arctic zone almost as well as Dr. Cook himself. Men of science were there also, but the explorer addressed himself primarily to the great majority of his hearers whose interest in polar conquest has but lately been aroused. Commander Peary's name he did not mention except at the end of his speech when he said: "There is glory enough for all." Then it was that Peary's name mingled with those of other explorers to whom he referred with reverence.

Seated beside the explorer beneath the blue flag of the Arctic club were Rear Admiral Schley; Caral Moltke, the Danish minister; Patrick S. McGowan, president of the board of aldermen, and Bird S. Coler, president of the borough of Brooklyn, Dr. Cook's home town.

Admiral Schley presided and introduced Dr. Cook with many eulogistic expressions in his ability and confidence in his attainment.

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If the allegations of a growing lack of interest in the industrial school have any foundation or otherwise, the institution will begin business this year under pretty rosy auspices. The night classes maintained last term will be a secondary feature of the school this term, which will boast a day school with several teachers' jobs calling for pretty good money. The course of the school this term may justify the very free expenditure of money for salaries, but in any event the industrial training idea is costing Lawrence a pretty penny. As this city seems a sort of experiment station for the movement, the success of the school, providing it shall prove a success, may gain us fame afar off. If the lack of interest noted last term shall be the case this term, then the city will achieve fame merely as a good thing" for patriots who would serve their country and state in public office.—Lawrence Eagle.

Kittredge's orchestra, Prescott hall, Saturday night.

TWO JUSTICES

To Arbitrate the Sugar Trust Case

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 24.—After an extended discussion of the terms of settlement in the $30,000,000 suit, brought in New York by the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining Co. against the American Sugar Refining Co., Judges Wilson and Audenreid in common pleas court here yesterday, agreed to act as arbitrators in the matter and determine finally whether the compromise offered by the American Sugar Refining Co. should be accepted.

BIG CROWD

EXPECTED AT THE HOLY NAME SOCIETY COMMUNION

The breakfast committee of St. Peter's Holy Name society held a meeting last evening and discussed the arrangements for the event. The communion day of the society will be Sunday, October 10th, and the breakfast will be held in Lincoln hall. Vice President Richard Lyons presided and the committee was of the opinion that a larger crowd than has yet appeared on any similar event would attend. Secretary Ward will send out the double postal cards within a week and the committee desires that the members send in their replies as soon as possible.

GEN'L LAWRENCE

Sovereign Grand Commander of Masons

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—With the election of Gen. Samuel C. Lawrence of Medford as sovereign grand commander, the choice of the other officers and the selection of Detroit, Mich., as the place of the next meeting, the supreme council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors General of the 33rd degree, Scottish Rite of Free Masonry of the northern jurisdiction closed its sessions here last night.

The third Tuesday in September was named as the date for the 1910 meeting.

Other officers elected were:

Lieutenant grand commander, Barton Smith, Toledo, O.

Grand administrator of state general, John C. Smith, Chicago.

Grand treasurer general, Newton A. Arnold, Providence, R. I.

Grand secretary general James H. Codding, New York.

Grand keeper of archives, Leo M. Abbott, Boston.

Grand master general of ceremonies, Thomas E. Balding, Wisconsin.

Grand marshal general, R. A. Shirrets, New Jersey.

Grand captain of guards, Col. G. O. Tyler, Vermont.

Among the State deputies chosen were:

New Hampshire—Dr. George W. Currier.

Massachusetts—Leo M. Abbott.

Rhode Island—Dr. George H. Kenyon.

Vermont—Marshal O. Perkins.

BIG FIRE

BROKE OUT IN CRESCENT PARK LAST NIGHT

EAST PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 24.—Crescent Park, one of the most famous parks in New England, was threatened with destruction by a fire that broke out in the Steeplechase last night. The blaze spread rapidly, destroying three or four neighboring structures when help was called from Providence which sent a hose wagon to the scene. The largest owner of the property is Col. R. A. Harrington of Providence.

Twelve buildings in all were destroyed and the total loss is estimated at about $5000 covered by insurance. Among the places destroyed were the animal house, three large clam houses and the large bake house. The blaze started in the animal house from some unknown cause.

80 YEARS OLD

IRA E. HARTWELL OBSERVED BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY

Ira E. Hartwell, one of Lowell's oldest citizens celebrated his 80th birthday yesterday at his home in Varney street, and the occasion was observed by a family reunion. Mr. Hartwell has resided in this city for almost 70 years, and can distinctly recall the passage through the city of a New Hampshire regiment en route to the Mexican war, away back in 1845. Mr. Hartwell, has also the proud honor of having built the first brick oven for baking purposes, in this part of the country. He is in the possession of all his faculties, and is enjoying excellent health.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL.

Court Merrimack, Foresters of America, is making big arrangements for the 30th anniversary of the formation of the court, which will be observed with a banquet at Associate hall on Wednesday evening, Sept. 29. Among the guests, who have accepted invitations to be present are the following: Supreme Treasurer Edward B. O'Brien of Lynn, Mass.; Supreme Secretary T. M. Donnelly of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Supreme Recording Secretary J. W. Slattery of Westboro; Grand Chief Ranger John R. Feeley of Pittsfield, and William J. Mountain of Gardner, grand treasurer. Local members of the order holding office in the grand and supreme bodies will also attend. An elaborate program has been arranged by the entertainment committee.

Court General Shields

A well attended meeting of Court General Shields, Foresters of America, was held last night, Chief Ranger Jas. J. Gaffney presiding. There were five applications for membership and one candidate was initiated. The ways and means committee reported that plans were well under way for the coming social and dance which is to be held in Foresters hall in October.

The committee on class initiation reported that the grand class initiation will take place on the evening of Nov. 11. A prize of $5 in gold, as first, and a $3 hat as second, will be given to the members bringing in the largest number of candidates on that evening.

Toward the close of the meeting interesting remarks were made by Brothers Green, Moss, McMullen, Keenan and Daly.

Spindle City Circle

The regular meeting of Spindle City circle was held last night in Post 120 hall, C. of F., Alice Devine in the chair. There were visitors present from Boston, Lynn, Lawrence and Salem. Considerable routine business was gone over. At the conclusion of the business session a social hour was enjoyed.

Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F.

Centralville Rebekah lodge, 177, I. O. O. F., held its regular meeting Sept. 23 with a good attendance. Several applications were received. The 14th anniversary of the lodge will be celebrated Oct. 14.

TAX ASSOCIATION MEETING

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 24.—Instead of going on record for or against the corporation tax law in accordance with the desires of opposing factions of the International Tax association's delegates, the association yesterday adopted resolutions putting the matter up to a meeting of governors of all the states which the association asked to be called by Governor Augustus E. Willson of Kentucky.

In presenting the report of the resolutions committee, its chairman, Professor Charles J. Bullock of Harvard university, announced that after several strenuous hours of deliberation the committee had decided to hang together until a unanimous agreement could be reached.

This he implied had been done at some difficulty.

O'Donnell Dry Goods Co.

THE STORE FOR QUALITY AND STYLE

The Man in the Basement Says:

Tell the people we have an aggregation of bargains for Saturday that will prove as attractive as any we've offered since the opening of the Basement that sells nothing but bargains.

REMEMBER—Nothing is offered for sale in this quality Bargain Basement unless for some good business reason there is a liberal discount from regular prices so that we can confidently and judiciously use the word bargain.

Saturday of Each Week is Selected as Special Sales Day For the Basement That Sells Nothing But Bargains

PRETTY TEA APRONS
In the Basement Saturday
3 for 25c
Made from fine lawn with deep ruffle and pocket and wide tie strings.

FINE HAIR BRUSHES
In the Basement Saturday
19c Each
Fine bristles, ebony, natural and mahogany wood backs, regulation size.

PRETTY VAL LACES
In the Basement Saturday
3c per Yard
Good assortment of widths and patterns, odds and ends, values up to 10c per yard.

PANAMA FLEECED CLOTH
In the Basement Saturday
7c per Yard
Colored grounds, pretty printed patterns, suitable for kimonas, dressing sacques or lounging robes.

WOMEN'S WHITE SKIRTS
In the Basement Saturday
25c Each
Made from good quality cotton, full width, deep flounce and regular lengths.

CHILDREN'S SCHOOL BAGS
In the Basement Saturday
19c Each
Made from good heavy corduroy velvet in a dark bronze color and full size.

A PRETTY WHITE LACE BANDING
In the Basement Saturday
10c per Yard
This is a special offering of about 30 pieces, all one pattern, and is a good substitute for Baby Irish Lace.

WOMEN'S BLACK PETTICOATS
In the Basement Saturday
29c Each
Made from fine black mercerized fabric, cut very full and with deep corded flounce.

WOMEN'S COTTON NIGHT GOWNS
In the Basement Saturday
33c Each
Good quality of cotton, tucked yoke, pearl buttons, full width and length, ruffled neck and sleeves, sizes 14 to17.

WOMEN'S JERSEY VESTS
In the Basement Saturday
At 7c Each
Light or medium weight, high or low neck, the balance of mill samples advertised last week. The price is less than half.

ALL OVER EMBROIDERIES
In the Basement Saturday
At 29c per Yard
A splendid collection of pretty patterns in qualities and widths that usually retail as high as $1 per yard.

WOMEN'S HOUSE WRAPPERS.
In the Basement Saturday
49c Each
Indigo blue and grays, sizes 34, 36 and 38, not a large lot but a good one.

The Men of Lowell

Will find some good things in the Basement that sells nothing but bargains, particularly Underwear. We have consigned the balance of our stock of Men's Furnishings to this Department to clean up and anything you find here you may buy at about half price and in some instances less.

O'Donnell Dry Goods Co.

The Caesar Misch Store

ALEXANDER STRAUSS, PROP.

220 CENTRAL STREET

NOW is the time to buy—Now, when all the styles are new—Now, when the stock is complete—Now—Buy now.

JUST LIKE THE CUT is the suit we advertise at $19.50. Made of fine men's wear worsted in all colors. Coat 42 inches long, guaranteed satin lining. Skirt circular plaited and beautifully fitting.

$19.50

Suits for Young Ladies

Sizes that fit oft-times without alterations. Fine serges or worsteds $15.00

SERGE SUITS

Blue and Black

Ladies' and Misses' sizes, long satin lined coat, plaited skirt, good $18 value for $16.50

Plaited Skirt Coats

Of Bedford Cord. The new medium weight fabric that everybody likes, 7-8 fitted back, straight front with a full plaited flounce. Price ..$22.50

Rain Proofed Serge Coats

That make good all round wear garments, storm serge, good weight, high military collar, $20 value at $16.50

SILK EMBROIDERED TAFFETA DRESSES $18.00

Good for street wear, good for parties, modeled after the newest New York fashion. Every woman needs one in her outfit, good taffeta embroidery all over with silk soutache. In black only at...$18.00

SPECIAL SILK PETTICOATS $5.98

A three months' satisfaction guarantee. These $7.98 Silk Petticoats in black and navy, cut full and more than your money's worth in every way $5.98

PAYS WIFE $1000

Portion of Allowance to Mrs. Shaw

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—The Shaw divorce case came up by continuance in the equity session of the superior court yesterday on the motion of Mrs. Nettie E. Shaw for allowance for counsel fees and expenses.

It became known that in accordance with an arrangement made a week ago, her husband, Senator James F. Shaw, paid her $1000 on account. No further hearing was held on the motion. The divorce case will be tried later in Essex county.

CURTAIN ON FIRE

DEPARTMENT RESPONDED TO ALARM FROM BOX 53

An alarm from box 53 shortly after 6 o'clock last night summoned a portion of the fire department to a slight blaze in the old Brooks house in Tyler street. The wind blew a curtain against a lighted gas jet the result being that the curtain caught fire. The damage was slight.

For Women's Needs

Every woman should fortify herself against those weaknesses and derangements which are usually present at times when Nature makes extra demands upon the system.

For women's special ailments there is no known remedy so safe and reliable as

Beecham's Pills

These pills possess corrective and tonic properties which have a marked effect upon the general health and promptly relieve nervousness, sick headache, depression, backache, weakness and other unpleasant symptoms. Beecham's Pills establish healthy conditions and furnish

Help at the Right Time

Sold Everywhere. In boxes 10c. and 25c.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

BIG CORPORATION

To Have a Capitalization of $2,000,000

WORCESTER, Sept. 24.—A reorganization of the Worcester Electric Light Co., to extend its business and to enable it to purchase any other company which the directors may want to secure control of, has been proposed to the stockholders in a circular letter mailed last night by the directors.

The J. G. White company of New York is understood to be behind the deal, and J. G. White is named as one of the trustees of the new holding company which will be known as the Worcester electric securities company. This new company will have a capital of $2,000,000, and the trustees offer to the present stockholders for their shares two shares of the new stock for every one of the old, and a cash bonus of $100 a share.

The present Worcester electric light company is capitalized for $[illegible], and the stock is quoted at $250 a share, on a par value of $100. The company has paid 10 per cent and before that 8 per cent. dividends for two years. It is expected that the new stock company will pay an average dividend of 5 per cent a year.

The men selected to act as trustees under the new holding company are Lincoln N. Kinnicutt, William H. [illegible], Dr. Homer Gage, Charles M. Thayer, Frank A. Drury, T. Hovey Gage, Alexander H. Bullock and C. Henry [illegible] of Worcester and J. G. White of New York.

Arrangements have been made with the J. G. White company for the organization of an expert engineering force to operate the company. The sales of electricity for the year ending June 30, 1909, by the Worcester electric company were $[illegible], and it is estimated this can be doubled in three years.

GONE 4 YEARS

WOMAN WANTS TO KNOW IF HUSBAND IS DEAD

BOSTON, Sept. [illegible]—Mrs. [illegible] [illegible] Disappeared [illegible]

She [illegible] she and her [illegible] and Cora, [illegible] husband [illegible]

[illegible] temporary employment [illegible] offices.

About Christmas, [illegible] received a letter from his father who was then in New York. He expressed a desire that the son come and join him, but the son preferred to remain with his mother. Since then the children have assumed the mother's maiden name.

85 ARE INDICTED

Action Taken by U. S. Grand Jury

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., Sept. 24.—James C. Maybray and 84 alleged associates were yesterday indicted by the United States grand jury for the southern district of Iowa, charged with conspiring to defraud by illegal use of the United States mails. With the exception of Maybray and three or four others, none of those indicted are in custody, and for that reason the names of the defendants were not made public.

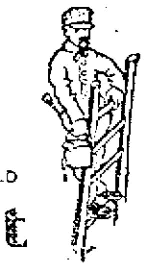
It is stated that the list includes many persons known in criminal annals in all parts of the country.

It is authoritatively stated that the amounts lost on fake race horses by the alleged victims of Maybray and others named will exceed half a million dollars.

Kittredge's orchestra, Prescott hall, Saturday night.

The thriver [illegible] at Coburn's.

FIVE STRONG REASONS WHY YOU SHOULD Paint IN THE FALL



1. In the Fall there is no moisture and dampness.

2. When the wood is dry, it absorbs [illegible]

3. The weather is more settled and uniform and is warmer, therefore it is an [illegible] time for painting.

4. A [illegible] is its protecting coat [illegible] the winter months than at any other time.

5. [illegible] to keep the winter's [illegible] out by applying a coat of

"TOWN AND COUNTRY" PAINT IN THE FALL

All REGULAR SHADES $1.60 Gal.

C. B. COBURN CO.,
63 MARKET STREET

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
5.46	6.50	6.25	7.26
a6.27	7.41	7.53	8.55
b6.44	7.53	8.15	9.01
6.49	7.30	9.00	9.39
7.01	8.00	9.15	9.52
7.22	8.05	10.00	10.37
e7.31	8.50	b10.21	11.34
7.44	8.35	11.30	12.07
8.48	9.25	12.00	12.56
8.56	9.35	1.00	1.37
b9.27	10.35	1.15	1.52
9.32	10.19	2.00	3.04
10.45	11.40	3.00	3.37
11.38	12.20	3.44	4.21
12.12	1.00	b3.51	5.02
1.46	2.30	a4.14	5.55
2.41	3.33	5.05	5.37
2.57	4.40	b5.21	6.23
4.09	4.50	6.38	6.28
4.28	5.30	b5.51	7.05
5.25	6.15	a6.18	7.25
b6.10	7.19	7.30	8.08
6.28	7.10	8.30	9.08
7.39	8.20	10.30	11.34
8.24	9.10	11.17	11.51
10.00	10.40	11.25	12.16

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6.46	7.65	z7.00	8.10
8.04	8.55	7.30	8.52
9.30	10.44	9.24	10.35
10.30	11.55	10.55	11.52
12.05	1.10	11.50	12.51
z1.30	2.36	2.14	3.20
3.10	4.14	3.50	4.30
4.25	5.35	4.50	5.50
5.05	6.00	6.03	7.03
7.00	8.00	6.35	7.45
8.35	9.38	9.35	10.31
		*11.25	12.21

*Runs to Lowell Saturdays only.
a Via Lawrence Junction.
b Via Bedford.
e Via Salem Jct.
z Via Wilmington Junction.

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.43	7.30	9.00	10.00
7.22	8.05	10.00	10.37
8.00	8.40	11.30	12.07
8.48	9.49	1.00	1.37
9.20	10.15	5.00	6.03
10.30	11.53	7.10	8.08
2.25	3.27	8.20	9.08
5.20	6.00	9.50	11.02
6.25	7.10	10.14	11.51
7.35	8.20	10.27	11.35

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.20	8.00	9.08
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
5.50	5.00	2.14	3.23
6.45	7.00	3.30	4.41
6.50	10.02	6.20	6.58
		8.45	9.42

LOCAL NEWS

Commercial Printery, Tobin's.

Undertaker Finnegan, Davis Sq. Tel.

Kittredge's orchestra, Prescott hall, Saturday night.

Order your coal now at Mullin's, 953 Gorham street. Best coal in the city.

Dr. Clifford wishes to notify his customers that he has returned and is again ready for business at 93 Westford St.

Teeth extracted and filled without pain by the Obtundine system of painless dentistry. Dr. Gagnon, 468 Merr'k st.

The Thompson Hardware Co. is giving a demonstration of its famous Ideal Food Cutter. The price is only 95c. Every household should have one.

George H. Wood's clock advertisement cut from The Sun of yesterday is worth 51 cents. He takes this method of advertising to call attention to his clock bargains for the week. No jewelry house in this city carries a larger line of clocks than George H. Wood. Low prices are quoted for a few days to reduce the stock.

Mony deposited in the Lowell Five Cent Savings bank on or before Saturday, October 2, 1909, begins to draw interest from that date.

GOV. JOHNSON BURIED

ST. PETER, Minn., Sept. 24.—The body of Gov. John A. Johnson was buried in the family lot in Green Hills cemetery here yesterday afternoon in a grave adjoining that of his mother. The body was brought here from St. Paul. The funeral cortege, escorted by state militia and representatives of state and civic organizations, proceeded to the Presbyterian church, where the body lay in state and was viewed by hundreds of citizens of St. Peter before the religious services were held.

The funeral was attended by many distinguished men from Minnesota and other states.

Brief services were held at the cemetery and the local company of national guard fired a salute as the casket was lowered into the grave.

SKETCHES AT THE TANNERY HEARING LAST NIGHT

TANNERY HEARING

Continued

interested itself in the matter, dwelling principally upon the loss the employes would suffer if the beam house were suspended or moved to another city. The beam house he said is the fundamental process in leather making and if it be seriously interrupted the Perry street factory would have to shut down.

The hearing room was packed mostly with the employes of the company. There was also a number of people there ready to oppose any proposition to move the beam house to Perry St.

Dr. Huntress, chairman of the board of health, presided at the hearing. At just 8 o'clock he declared the hearing opened, and said a few words for the guidance of counsel and others. He asked them to be brief and to confine themselves absolutely to the question of whether a nuisance exists in Howe street. He promised that the hearing would be conducted as expeditiously as possible with due regard for the rights of all concerned. Dr. Huntress gave the petitioners an opportunity to be heard, but they had finished on Monday, and Lawyer Edward M. McClennan of Boston, counsel for the American Hide and Leather company, opened for the remonstrants.

Lawyer McClennan

He said that the American Hide and Leather company did not propose to continue its beam house in Howe street; that the company intended to continue its business there only until such time as it has provided itself with a beam house elsewhere. He said he was in doubt as to the real question before the board, and the different petitions to the board of health praying for an abatement of the nuisance were read.

Mr. McClennan said he should infer from the different petitions read that they proceeded along different theories. He asked if he was right in inferring that no beam house would be permitted upon the premises providing the present one was a nuisance.

He said he had evidence to present that would be relevant providing the question of the building of a modern beam house was permissible.

Dr. Huntress said the board had not yet decided that there was a nuisance there, and Mr. McClennan was allowed to proceed along the lines originally intended by him.

He explained at great length the many details connected with the tannery business, and he said it would seem that a concern doing a large business in a cautious and orderly way might expect to have its interests fully and justly considered.

He referred to the investment of capital by the American Hide and Leather company, and gave his version as to what constitutes a nuisance. He said there was always the danger that persons owning property in a certain locality would, for the purpose of enhancing the value of their property, appeal to a judicial board for an abatement of alleged nuisance. Such complaints, he said, might come from persons who bought their property with a knowledge of what they were buying and what the nature of the surroundings were.

He said he was prepared to show that the beam house in Howe street was conducted with more regard for the public in general than any other beam house in the country today.

"We seek to show to you," he said, "that a beam house can be constructed upon the present site with proper provisions that will prevent the escape of odors, so that they will not be noticeable more than ten feet from the building."

Expert Yocum

Mr. McClennan at this point introduced John H. Yocum, a man of beaming experience, and he was asked to tell what could be done by modern methods of beaming and he was supposed to know all about beaming.

He said the odors were due in 99 cases out of 100 to vapors, and he allowed the vapors would be carried away. He cited a case in New Jersey where a similar complaint as that raised in Lowell had been met and he told how it was overcome. Suction fans seemed to play an important part. He said that by modern methods the odors complained of were easily and readily overcome.

He said the odors that escape and have been escaping from Howe street are not injurious to public health. He said the strongest odors do not come from decayed animal matter.

In reply to a question by Mr. Murphy of the board he admitted that pigeon and hen manure is used in the beam house. He did not know how much was used.

The Howe street beam house he said is one of the least objectionable in the country.

Mr. Yocum said he observed the opening of a sewer into the Concord river at that point and he allowed that sanitary conditions in neighboring property were not the best. He said that combustion would destroy all the odors arising from the beam house and that the most obnoxious odors come from the pickled stock. He thought that was what the public objected to.

He admitted, however, that a plant in Peabody, one of modern construction and equipped with modern improvements, gives off worse odors than the Howe street plant.

Lawyer John C. Burke

Mr. John C. Burke said it was the company's intention to do away with the business in Howe street as soon as possible. He presented a petition having several signatures of persons who do not consider the beam house in Howe street a nuisance. The petitioners prayed that the American Hide and Leather company be allowed to continue in business in Howe street until such time as the company can arrange for and build a modern beam house.

Leather Workers' Petition

The petition presented by Mr. Burke carried about 600 signatures. He said that the members of the Leather Workers' union, many of whom were present, had no knowledge of what the action of the company was to be. "I did not know that these men were to appear here," said Mr. Burke. "Many of them own their homes here and I presume they feel that the removal of this property would be a great injury. The important question before the board is simply whether a reasonable time will be given the company to clear up the matter."

Dennis Healey

Dennis Healey, president of the Leather Workers' union, was called upon. He said that about [illegible] men connected with the union were employed by the American Hide & Leather Co., and were receiving, he said, a fair rate of wages. He referred to the attitude of the press and said that from some things that were mentioned in the papers [illegible] working for the company and owning their own homes were alarmed. [illegible] called a special meeting of the union for last Sunday afternoon for the purpose of discussing the matter [illegible] 300 members attended the meeting. He said that the action [illegible] was not influenced in any way by the American Hide & Leather Co.

Dr. Martin of the Board

Dr. Martin said [illegible] that the speaker did not [illegible] said on the question [illegible] referred to the records of the [illegible] when the board [illegible] considered it had two questions to deal with. Whether or not a nuisance existed in Howe street and [illegible] best to deal with [illegible] the board would not take any steps that could be considered unfair to [illegible] parties concerned.

Henry A. Smith

Henry A. Smith [illegible] board of trade, said [illegible] we do not want a commercial [illegible] at the expense of the public [illegible] we do want in every proper way to foster commercial interests. [illegible] wondered whether or not the nuisance, if there is one, might be abated under modern methods.

Major Stott

Counsel McClennan called upon Maj. C. A. Stott, who began by saying to Dr. Huntress that 30 years ago he occupied the same position as the doctor occupied last night. The major referred to the time when he was mayor of the city and likewise chairman of the board of health.

Major Stott said that in his estimation there is no nuisance in Howe street, but it came to pass that the major had a wrong conception as to what constitutes a nuisance. He thought a nuisance must be something detrimental to health.

Being corrected on this point, he said, "I am caught there, but it does not faze me."

"Would anything?" asked the chairman.

The major allowed that there is a disagreeable odor in Howe street, but he said it was not detrimental to health and he questioned how much it affected the value of real estate. He said that the company ought to be given an opportunity to show that the nuisance could be abated by modern methods.

Mr. McClennan said in closing that it is not the intention of the company to conduct the business in that building beyond a reasonable time in which to house itself.

Dr. Martin asked if the building had not been condemned and was told that it had not.

The chairman gave the petitioners an opportunity to speak further, but none responded and the hearing was declared closed.

HATS

We're After Your Hat Trade

This store has built up a tremendous hat business—We did it by values. We want your trade—If we get it this fall it's ours for good—We give extra values for the price—See our great hat window; it's the talk of the town.

Special Style 4343 Special

Our special this fall (style 4343) is a winner; the early sales have been very large—Do you know about our special? Each season we have a special—Each season it's been the popular hat—Our special is guaranteed in every way—If it doesn't turn out well bring it back and get your money—It's a $3 shape—It's a $3 quality—It looks and wears like a $3 hat, and we run it as a special at

Colors black and brown. **$2.00 each**

We specialize the Tex and Lamson & Hubbard as $3.00 stiff hats.

We specialize Stetson's fine Hats at $4 and $5.

We specialize the Student, Essex, Trooper, Gopher in soft hats in the new shades at $1.50, $2.00 and $3.00.

Buy your fall hat here.

LOWELL'S POPULAR HAT CORNER

TALBOT CLOTHING CO. AMERICAN HOUSE BLOCK, Central, Cor. of Warren Sts.

A MONSTER FURNITURE SALE

Truthful Advertising Creates Public Confidence

The excitement of the automobile races is now a hing of th past—a glorious finish. The excitement has now reverted itself to Middlesex street where BORNSTEIN & QUINN, Lowell's "live" furniture dealers, are conducting their wonderful cut price furniture sale.

DON'T LET THE PRICES PREJUDICE YOU, for we are selling the finest high grade Furniture, Stoves and Carpets at less than 60c ON THE DOLLAR.

IRON BEDS

Iron Bedsteads, strongly built, with brass trimming, worth $3.50. Price $2.50

Iron Bedsteads, continuous posts, very heavy, worth $7. Price $4.75

SPRINGS

Woven Wire Springs, made of heavy pipe iron with strong protection in centre. Regular price $3.50, now $1.98

National Springs made of heavy steel fabric with best oil tempered helic springs, guaranteed, all sizes. Regular price $5.00, now $2.98

MATTRESSES

Soft Top Mattresses, made of good quality ticking, all sizes, one or two parts. Everybody's price $3.00. Our price $1.98

Soft Top and Bottom Mattresses, made of best quality ticking, one or two parts. Regular price $4.50, now $2.98

Combination Mattresses, made of fatten fibre and wadding, with white cotton all around, a mattress that we recommend and guarantee to keep its shape. Cost $6.00, now $3.95

Our Sanitary Mattress is made of white cotton, felt, best quality ticking, finished with the imperial rolled edge. Worth $8.50. Price ...$5.95

RANGES

$30.00 Ranges, removable nickel trimmings, made of heavy smooth castings and guaranteed baker. Price with pipe $22.50

$35.00 Ranges in plain or ornamental designs, guaranteed baker. Price with pipe $26.50

PARLOR SUITS

5-Piece Parlor Suits, finished in mahogany and upholstered in velour. Regular price $25.00, now $15.90

6-Piece Parlor Suits, finished heavy and polished, beautifully carved and upholstered in verona with spring edge, cheap at $60, now $42.50

DRESSERS

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